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RACE CLOTHING M'F'G CO.

World's Fair Offer, NO. 1.
To Every Purchaser —of— $50.00 Worth of goods at retail we will give a Railroad Ticket to the World's Fair.

World's Fair Offer. NO. 2.
To Every Purchase —of— $10.00 and over we will give one Admission Ticket to the World's Fair Grounds.

OUR STOCK OF FINE CLOTHING for Men and Boys surpasses anything shown in the city.

OUR GENTS' FURNISHING DEPARTMENT is filled with all the Latest Novelties in the correct styles.

HATS OF THE NEWEST SHAPES—all grades.

OUR OWN MAKE OF NEGLIGEE SHIRTS, Laundried or Unlaundried, will be the "proper caper."

TRUNKS—Styles that cannot be found elsewhere.

VALISES—All grades and styles.

TELESCOPES—Just the thing for a World's Fair trip

OUR MERCHANT TAILORING DEPARTMENT is patronized by all good DRESSERS. We have the Boss Cutter.

YOU CAN SAVE MONEY by buying of us, as we will sell these lines of goods 25 PER CENT. CHEAPER than they can be bought in Chicago.

A Lot of Hats at HALF PRICE.

RACE CLOTHING M'F'G CO.,

129--135 North Water Street.

At ANSTEAD'S.

Monday morning, May 1, we place on sale:

298 Wool Dress Patterns, all complete, $2.98, worth up to $5.00
275 " " " " " 3.98, " " 6.00
248 " " " " " 4.98, " " 8.00
286 " " " " " 5.98, " " 10.00

25 pieces black and colored Henriettas, 23c, well worth 30 and 35c
31 " " " " " 32c, " " 45c
29 " " " " " 47c, " " 65c
22 " " " " Serges, 47c, " " 65c
12 " " 46 in. silk finish Henrietta, 75c, well worth $1.25.
40 pieces Novelty Dress Goods, 58c, sold regularly at 85c.
28 " Sarah Silks, 43c, regular price, 65c.
26 " " " 68c, " " 85c and $1.00.
13 " Black Royal Armure Silks, 85c, regular price, $1.25
12 " Faille Francaise Silks, 85c, " " 1.25.
7 " Satin Rhadame " 85c, " " 1.19.
24 " Drapery Silks, 55c, regular price 75c and $1.00.

WASH GOODS DEPARTMENT.

50 pieces Decca Cloth, 12½c, worth 15c.
55 " Shantong Pongee, 12½c, worth 15c.
18 " Black Brocade Satines, 25c, worth 30 and 35c.
22 " Satine Jacquard, 15c, worth 25 and 35c.
24 " Heavy Penangs, 10c, worth 15c.
12 " English Penangs, 15c, worth 25c.
100 " pretty, stylish Dress Ginghams, 8½c, worth 12½c.
74 " " fine " " 10c, " 15c.
54 " " French Dress Ginghams, 12½c, worth 20c.
100 " pretty Outing Flannels, 6c, worth 8½c.
68 " " " " 10c, worth 15c.
21 " pretty Silkolene, 15c, worth 25c.

OUR WHITE GOODS DEPARTMENT

—NOW OFFERS—

25 pieces pretty Novelties at 10c, regular price, 15c.
24 " pretty Novelties at 12½c, regular price, 18c.
31 " pretty Novelties at 15c, regular price, 20 and 25c.

CARPETS.

Our third invoice of New Carpets are now on sale. We have lots of choice Carpets to show you at Very Low Prices. See them.

O. M. Anstead,

211 NORTH WATER ST., DECATUR, ILL.

PROTECT THE PUBLIC

President Higginbotham and Director Schwab

VISIT WORLD'S FAIR RESTAURANTS

And Learn for Themselves of the Extortionate Charges Exacted of the People—The Abuse to be Promptly Corrected.

CHICAGO, May 5.—Without notice and incognito President Higginbotham, chairman, and Director Schwab, local members of the council of administration, made the rounds of the restaurants yesterday and partook of the viands offered to the public. In almost every instance the officials were compelled to pay extortionate prices for the food, and they will at once bring the matter before the council and insist that concessionaires shall maintain the schedule of figures agreed upon when they were granted their rights and privileges. The officials of the fair will enforce this agreement, even if it involves the dismissal of every restaurant keeper on the grounds, for they are determined to protect the public and the guests of the exposition from outrageous prices for eatables.

The concessionaries say that the overcharges were entirely due to the acts of dishonest employes during the opening days at a time when such action was possible, and that they were then unprepared to prevent them.

An Effectual Threat.

WORLD'S FAIR GROUNDS, CHICAGO, May 5.—Immediately after the opening of yesterday morning's session of the board of lady managers, Mrs. Palmer, president of the board, declared that she would resign not only her position as presiding officer of the board, but as a member of the board from Illinois, unless the rows, bickerings and other troubles which have been prevalent among the women of the board ceased at once and forever. The different members of the board assured her there would be no further trouble, and the routine work of the session was continued.

The Higginbothams Give a Reception.

CHICAGO, May 5.—Mr. and Mrs. Harlow N. Higginbotham gave an elaborate reception last evening at their residence in honor of the duke and duchess of Veragua and the marquis of Barboles. The national colors of Spain and the United States were united in draperies and flowers. Among the distinguished guests present were: Count and Countess Spaneik, Senor and Mme. E Dupuy de Lome, Baron de Fava, Princess Marie A. Schohovoskoy and other distinguished foreign representatives and hundreds of Chicago guests.

Still an "Open" Question.

CHICAGO, May 5.—The Sunday-closing question is still enveloped in a haze of doubt, and it is seemingly impossible for anyone in authority to state positively whether or no the World's fair will be opened on Sunday next. Yesterday President Higginbotham and Director Davis were noncommital when questioned. The fact remains that the employes at the gates have received no orders to close Sunday.

Paid Admissions to the World's Fair.

CHICAGO, May 5.—The number of paid admissions to the World's fair yesterday was 18,000.

A DILEMMA.

Threatened Boycott of the World's Fair if Sunday Opening is Insisted Upon.

CINCINNATI, May 5.—A special to the Evening Post from Chicago says: "In case the exposition gates are opened Sunday, it is reported that the word for a boycott will be telegraphed far and wide among the religious organizations of the country, and that a determined effort will be made to destroy the financial prospects of the show in order that a telling blow may be struck against the non-observance of the sabbath at future expositions.

The great hotels which have been erected in Chicago by representatives of various national religious organizations will be the greatest sufferers if a boycott is declared, and the managers are in a state of dire alarm over the prospect. It is known that thousands of members of the Christian Endeavor society throughout the country, and especially in Ohio, have signed pledges to boycott the exposition if it opens on Sunday.

Men who are well informed regarding religious journalism in America declare that fully three-fourths of the weekly newspapers of this class will join in urging people to stay away from Chicago.

The Business Portion of Bonne Terre Burned.

BONNE TERRE, Mo., May 5.—Fire which started early yesterday morning in the Nix building destroyed the business portion of the city. Among the business houses destroyed are: John Wilkison, grocery; John A. Cherott, grocery; William Kongey, grocery, L. Schultz & Co., general merchants; Jacob Schneider, jeweler; Bonne Terre Co-operative society, grocers; H. C. O'Connors, bakery; A. Bejack, general merchandise, and J. R. Williams, saloon. The total loss will aggregate $45,000, with partial insurance.

Collapse of the National Normal University Co. of Lebanon, O.

LEBANON, O., May 5.—The National Normal University Co. made a general assignment Wednesday evening for the benefit of its creditors. Liabilities estimated at from $75,000 to $100,000; with assets nominally about the same. The institution is widely known as Holbrooks' normal school, and has been in existence about forty years. The maturing of old obligations, some extending back many years, is given as the cause of the collapse.

BASEBALL.

National League and American Association Clubs.

The following games were played yesterday:

AT LOUISVILLE.

Pittsburgs.......... 0 1 0 0 5 0 0 0 *—6
Louisvilles........ 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 0—2
Batteries—Hemming and Harrington; Killen and Miller.

AT BALTIMORE.

Bostons............ 3 2 0 2 1 0 1 2 *—11
Baltimores......... 0 0 3 0 2 0 0 2 0—7
Batteries—Stivetts and Ganzell; Schmidt and Clark.

AT CLEVELAND.

Chicagos........... 1 1 1 0 0 2 0 0 *—5
Clevelands......... 0 0 2 0 1 0 0 0 0—3
Batteries—McGill and Kittridge, Young and Zimmer.

AT WASHINGTON.

Washingtons........ 3 4 0 1 0 0 1 0 0—9
New Yorks.......... 0 4 0 0 0 1 0 0 0—5
Batteries—Meekin and Farrell; Crane and Doyle.

AT BROOKLYN

Philadelphia-Brooklyn—Rain.

Games Scheduled for To-Day.

St. Louis at Cincinnati.
Bostons at Baltimore
New Yorks at Washington.
Philadelphias at Brooklyn.
Chicagos at Cleveland
Pittsburghs at Louisville.

Southern League Games.

At Augusta—Augustas, 9; Charlestons, 3
At Nashville—Mobiles, 5, Nashvilles, 4
At Memphis—Memphis, 21, Birminghams, 2

A SWINDLING CONCERN.

Extradition of the Secretary of the Consolidated Gold and Silver Mining Co.

CHICAGO, May 5.—Erastus N. Fay, secretary of the Consolidated Gold and Silver Mining Co., was taken to St. Louis last night on a requisition, charged with obtaining money under false pretenses. It is claimed that Faye's alleged companion in crime, Wm. N. Whitten, has swindled the public out of over $400,000.

The Consolidated Gold and Silver Mining Co. of Chicago was incorporated in 1886, with a capital stock of $30,000,000. The president was Wm. Whitten while Erastus N. Faye acted as secretary and treasurer. A large number of shares of the $30,000,000 were sold at $30 and $40, reaching in value $400,000. The company claimed to control nine gold and silver and one copper mine at Eureka, Col. It is alleged that the Colorado mines were worthless, having been "salted" by Whitten.

Mr. Nichols, who had invested $17,500, went out to see the mines with an expert, and it is said their inspection pronounced the ore worthless.

Wm. Whitten, the president of the company, was arrested in St. Louis last January on a charge of swindling, and he was indicted by the grand jury there and held for trial under $10,000. It is claimed that the men paid some dividends out of the money taken in, but enriched themselves by pocketing the major portion of it. Faye denies that he is guilty of any such thing.

Interesting Figures Concerning the Appointment of Postmasters.

WASHINGTON, May 5.—A statement, prepared from the records of the post-office department, shows that during the first two months of the present administration the total number of fourth-class postmasters appointed was 3,894, as against 5,104 made during the first two months of Mr. Harrison's administration. The number of appointments made during the last two months to fill vacancies caused by resignations and deaths was 2,685, as against 1,608 made during the corresponding period of the last administration. The number of removals made during the last two months is shown to have been only 1,209, while the number of removals made during the first two months of the Harrison administration reached 3,496.

The excess of appointments four years ago was therefore 1,210 and the excess of removals 2,289 while the number of appointments made or resignations and deaths, was 1,077 more than four years ago.

In view of the many misstatements which have been made in the press concerning the number and causes of changes being made in fourth-class postoffices, the foregoing figures are regarded as interesting.

No Official Light on the News from Hawaii.

WASHINGTON, May 5.—No light from a source connected with the Hawaiian islands can be thrown from here upon the news received from Honolulu Wednesday and made public yesterday. Mr. Carter, the last remaining member of the annexation commision, which reached Washington February 3, left the city last week to return home. Mr. Thurston, the head of the commission, is still in this country, but has been for a month past at Chicago in the discharge of his duties as commissioner to the World's fair from Hawaii

Dr. Mott Smith, whom the dispatches say Mr. Thurston is to succeed as diplomatic representative of the provisional goverement to the United States, has not been in Washington for several weeks.

Whatever communications have been received at the state department from Special Commissioner Blount are kept a profound secret, so that whatever news he may have to impart will probably be old by the time the communications are made public by request of congress or otherwise.

A Brighter Outlook for Brazil.

RIO JANEIRO, May 5.—In his message to the Brazilian congress, which began its annual session on Wednesday, May 3, as provided by the constitution, President Piexoto announced that public works would be undertaken which would attract immigrants to the country. The president stated that the financial condition of the republic had improved, and he expressed confidence in the maintenance of peace.

The Government School Bill Rejected.

BERLIN, May 5.—In the lower house of the Prussian diet, yesterday, the government bill regulating the elementary schools was rejected by the combined vote of the conservative and the center parties, the ground of the opposition being that the measure did not meet the demand for a general reform of the school system.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

—There has been no change in Edwin Booth's condition since the improvement noted by his physicians on Tuesday

—The relay race riders passed through Norwalk, O., yesterday, at 3:23 a. m., fifteen hours and thirty-six minutes behind schedule time.

—The failures of B. E. Beardsley and C. E. Wilson were announced at the New York consolidated exchange shortly before noon yesterday.

—The board of directors of the Bank of England have decided to advance the rate of discount to 3 per cent. The previous rate was 2½ per cent.

—Gov. Flower has denied the application for clemency for Carlyle W. Harris, and Harris will be electrocuted during the week beginning Monday next.

—Serious differences have arisen between the union brewers of Pittsburgh, Pa., and their employers, and a strike at all the breweries in Pittsburgh and Allegheny is a possibility.

—Emperor William traveled to Berlin by a special train, Wednesday evening, and spent several hours in conference with Chancellor Caprivi, after which he returned to Potsdam.

—Francis J. Schulte, book publisher at 298 Dearborn street, Chicago, has made a voluntary assignment His liabilities are given at $35,000, while his assets amount to only $4,000

—Messrs B. L. Smythe & Co., bankers and brokers, 51 Exchange place, New York, have announced their inability to meet their pecuniary obligations, and have suspended payment.

—The kick of certain exhibitors at the World's fair against paying for power furnished will not alter the determination of commissioners to enforce the proper and reasonable charges.

—Cincinnati is threatened with the most extensive strike ever known among the the furniture manufacturers Forty two of the biggest factories are involved, and these employ about 10,000 men

—George Taylor, alias Haltz, who has been on trial in Berrien Springs, Mich., for the murder of Miss Mary Comely at Niles, last December, was found guilty, yesterday, and sentenced to life imprisonment.

—The free concerts at the World's fair are proving a splendid drawing card and the crowds in attendance upon yesterday morning's entertainments were largely in excess of those of Wednesday

—The condition of Vice-President J. C. McMullen of the Chicago & Alton railroad, who was stricken with paralysis last Saturday night, was reported as being very much improved yesterday morning

—The union dock laborers of Boston have gone out on strike against the employment of nonunion or so called free laborers, and the shipping trade is blocked through the lack of men to handle the freight.

—The village of Bailey, twenty-five miles northwest of Grand Rapids, Mich., was almost wiped out by fire yesterday An overturned lamp started the blaze, and the fire spread rapidly to neighboring buildings

—The board of appeals of the American Trotting association met in Chicago yesterday Several minor cases were disposed of. During the afternoon the Von Ness case was taken up and the long-barred turfman was reinstated.

—Messrs Allen & Co., of New York, whose failure was announced yesterday, have made an assignment for the benefit of their creditors, and are now preparing a statement which will be made public in the course of a few days.

—At Piqua, O., the announcement was made in Wednesday evening's papers that in case of danger from break of the Lewistown reservoir warning would be given by the fire bells At midnight the bell was rung for a small fire at the Plaza hotel and caused a general but groundless alarm.

—A tornado struck Oxford, forty miles northwest of Raleigh, N. C., Wednesday afternoon, and demolished fifteen buildings, all of wood Some of them were large tobacco prize houses, four or five stories high. Only one man was killed. A negro on the third floor of a prize house was fatally hurt and four men were seriously injured

Reported Awful Destruction of Life by the Loss of a British Ship.

ADEN, Arabia, May 4.—The destruction is reported of the British steamship Khiva, off the Arabian coast, probably with an appalling loss of life. The Khiva sailed from Bombay on April 13, carrying a large number of Mohammedans bound as pilgrims to Mecca. The pilgrims were so numerous that they crowded the vessel, taking up all the available room. It is learned that the Khiva was burned off Ras (cape) Marbei, on the coast of Arabia. Of the great number on board 900 are said to have been saved, the others perishing in the sea or the flames which consumed the vessel. Details of the affair are yet lacking.

No Lives Lost.

ADEN, May 5.—Later reports state that no lives were lost through the burning of the steamship Khiva Finding that it would be impossible to quench the flames, the captain steered for the nearest point on the Arabian coast, and then landed all the passengers and crew.

Troops Will be Kept at Hull as Long as Needed.

LONDON, May 5.—In the house of commons yesterday Home Secretary Asquith said in answer to Kier Hardie (labor) that the government would not withdraw from Hull the troops engaged in protecting the property of the ship-owners from striking union dockers so long as the authorities of Hull deemed their presence necessary. In the course of the debate Mr. Gladstone agreed with the labor members that it was unwise and impolitic to parade troops before the strikers, but the friends of labor ought to take his assurance that the government had not designed to support the shipping federation

Presented Their Letters of Recall.

LONDON, May 5.—Hon. Robert T. Lincoln, the retiring American minister, and M. Waddington, the retiring French embassador at the English court, traveled to Windsor at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon, accompanied by Maj.-Gen. Sir Christopher Charles Teesdale, master of ceremonies in her majesty's household, to present their letters of recal to her majesty. Lord Roseberry, secretary of state for foreign affairs, was on the same train as the American minister and the French ambassador.

Asked Permission to Strike.

TOLEDO, O., May 4.—The Carpenters' union of this city, numbering 600 men, have asked permission of the American Federation of Labor to strike because of the refusal of contractors to grant an advance in wage from twenty-five to thirty cents per hour. President Gompers will arrive to-morrow.

Dropped Dead in Prayer-Meeting.

HANOVER, N. H., May 5.—Ex-United States Senator J. W. Patterson dropped dead at 8:30 o'clock last night in prayer-meeting. He sat in his seat for half an hour before his death was noticed.

Moses Price Cured of Rheumatism.

The many cases of rheumatism cured by Chamberlain's Pain Balm during the past few months have given the people great confidence in its curative properties and have shown that there is one preparation that can be depended upon for that painful and aggravated disease. Hennaker Bros., Lorain, Ohio, say: "Mr. Moses Price, of this place, was troubled with rheumatism for a long time. Chamberlain's Pain Balm has cured him. He says that the Balm has no equal." For sale by W. F. Meister, Library Block Druggist.

THE NEWS OF THE DAY

The Mississippi River Still Rising at St. Paul.

THE NEBRASKA IMPEACHMENT TRIALS.

Reaped the Wages of Sin—Attempted Wife Murder and Suicide—Killed the Murderer of His Father—Ignoring the Law, Etc.

The Mississippi Still Rising at St. Paul, Minn.

ST. PAUL, Minn., May 4.—The Mississippi has been rising slowly all day and the register at 7 o'clock this evening is 14 feet 7 inches. A few more families have had to take to the hills and two or more factories have been drowned out.

The most serious damage has been among the saw mills. Every one from Minneapolis to Hastings has been forced to shut down. It is expected this will cause a delay of 50,000,000 feet in the cut of the season.

A driving rain-storm is raging from Chamberlain, S. D., east to Tracy, Minn.

Reports from up-river points are not reassuring. The water in Lake St. Croix is now two inches higher than the highest point for five years, and it is still rising.

The Turnbull mills at Stillwater shut down yesterday. At Sauk Centre, Sauk lake has been rapidly rising for several days. The meadows south of the city are flooded, and the Davidson dam is threatened.

The Impeachment Trials.

LINCOLN, Neb., May 4.—The impeachment trials were resumed to-day. Ex-Warden Hopkins, who succeeded W. H. Dorgan as prison contractor, taking the stand. He told of visits he and the board of public buildings had made to prisons in Missouri, Indiana and Illinois to inspect the construction of cell-houses. These trips cost $500, taken from the cell-house appropriation, and he thought the state had been benefitted by them.

He corroborated the testimony of other witnesses that rough dimension stone had been bought for four or five cents a foot and sold to Dorgan at sixteen cents, but he did not know what knowledge the impeached officials had of the deal.

Henry Holtz, a stone-mason, corroborated this testimony.

Reaped the Wages of Sin.

LIMA, O., May 5.—A few years ago George B. Herens, a prosperous farmer of Henry county, became infatuated with Amanda Miller. He forsook his family and neglected his business. The Miller woman gained possession of his money and then left him. Yesterday afternoon he called on Mrs. Miller and insisted that she should marry him. Upon her positive refusal so to do, he assaulted her with a knife, cutting her head to pieces, and ended the task by killing himself.

Tried to Murder His Wife and Killed Himself.

ROCK SPRINGS, Wyo., May 5.—George C. Miller, manager of the Tom Kinney dry-goods house, tried to kill his wife and himself while on duty last evening. One bullet made a flesh wound in the woman's back and another tore away the most of her lower jaw, but she will recover. Turning the pistol on himself Miller sent two bullets into his skull. He will die. They separated some weeks ago and Mrs. Miller had applied for a divorce.

Killed the Murderer of His Father.

BRISTOL, Tenn., May 5.—Deputy Sheriff Mullins, of Hancock county, went to the distillery of Washington Lindsay, near the Virginia line, yesterday, to arrest a man named Roy for a small offense Mullins was accompanied by his son, a lad of 15 years of age. A row occurred over the arrest, when Lindsay, the distiller, shot Mullins through the body, mortally wounding him The boy, seeing his father fall, drew a pistol and shot Lindsay, killing him instantly.

Ignoring the Law.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 5.—Of over 60,000 Chinese only 2,000 have registered in compliance with the Geary law which goes into effect to-day. Nearly all registrations are in the interior, scarcely any Chinamen having registered in San Francisco.

Died From the Effects of His Wounds.

DANVILLE, Ky., May 5.—Barney Higgins, ex-mayor of Somerset, Ky., who was shot by L. D. Wood, Tuesday, died yesterday morning from the effects of his wounds.

Election of Directors of the Maritime Canal Co. of Nicaragua.

NEW YORK, May 5.—At the annual meeting of the Maritime Canal Co. of Nicaragua, held yesterday at 44 Wall street, the following directors, whose terms had expired, were re-elected to serve until 1896: Jos. Bryan, James Roosevelt, Hiram Hitchcock, Thomas B. Atkins and Horatio Gwyman. Mr. Robert Sturgis and Mr. S. A. Barton were selected to fill vacancies, the former the one caused by the resignation of Jesse B. Eustes, the recently appointed ambassador to France.

Damaging Storms in the East.

BOSTON, May 5.—Reports from all over the New England states show that considerable damage was done by the storm of Wednesday and yesterday. Washouts occurred on all railroads, causing delay to traffic; streams are badly swollen and have flooded the lowlands, doing great damage to crops. Many mills have been compelled to close down. No fatalities have thus far been reported.

Critically Ill.

LONDON, May 5.—Dr. Charles Tanner, the noted Irish leader and member of parliament for Middle Cork, is critically ill in London.

A Minister's Wife Much Pleased.

Elder S. S. Beaver, of McAlisterville, Juniata Co., Pa., says his wife is subject to cramp in the stomach. Last summer she tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhœa Remedy for it, and was much pleased with the speedy relief it afforded. She has since used it whenever necessary and found that it never fails. For sale by W. F. Meister, Library Block Druggist.

M ARY BURNETT, resident expert optician, [illegible]

AYER'S SARSAPARILLA SOLD ALL AROUND THE WORLD

FOR THE CURE OF
Catarrh, Scrofula, Boils, Eczema, Carbuncles, Sores,
And all Other Skin Diseases.
EQUALLY EFFECTIVE IN
Rheumatism, Dyspepsia, Nervous Debility,
and all complaints originating in
Impure Blood.
Ayer's Sarsaparilla
Has cured others, will cure you.

Elwin Items.

The late elected justice of the peace, William Chew, is contemplating starting a lumber yard and lime house in Elwin in the near future. The 'squire is a man with whiskers, and he means business.

Olen Knipple, who is a clerk in a hardware store in Decatur, is at home sick.

The elevator men have been getting in some grain in the last few days.

M. A. Connard, W. E. Stickle and H. D. McDaniel went to Decatur last night to join the K. of P. lodge. Stickle and McDaniel thought riding the goat was fine sport but Connard said it bucked worse than a bicycle. Connard is so fatigued this morning that he looks like the running-gears of a katydid.

Parties are getting to be quite common in this vicinity.

The boys completely busted Louie playing marbles.

There was a slight shower of rain last night.

Dock McDaniel was elected mayor of Elwin at the last city election.

May 5th, 1893. Q. R. S. T.

The Oldest Bible.

Last week we reprinted an article from the *Bement Register* which claimed that probably the oldest Bible in the county was the one owned by Aaron Boggs, of Bement, it having been printed in 1609. Since then we learn that there is another owned also in Piatt county, which is eight years older than the Boggs Bible. D. B. Espy, of LaPlace has the book. It was printed in London in 1601 and has been in the Espy family from generation to generation since that time. The family were Scotch and emigrated to north Ireland, and after many years to America. The book now has its third binding. It is indeed a rare relic and is very highly prized by the family. Thus far the Espy Bible is in the lead.—*Monticello Republican.*

"Prisoner for Life" To-Night.

Last night another very good house greeted the May Bretonne company at the Grand in "Lord Arlington's Daughter," and as on former evenings the audience was highly entertained. Mr. Hallam, Little Mabel and other members of the company were well received and won hearty applause.

To-night the play will be, "A Prisoner for Life. Don't forget that this company will give a grand matinee on Saturday afternoon.

LADY PAUNCEFOTE is one of the most popular women in Washington, and at a recent "at home" she had calls from 1,400 visitors whom she had never seen nor heard of.

SECRET SOCIETY MEETINGS.

MASONIC.

Special meeting of Macon Lodge, No. 8, A. F. and A. M., this (Saturday) evening at 7:30 o'clock.
ELI F. DAWSON, W. M.
W. L. HAMMER, Sec.

NATIONAL UNION.

Regular meeting of W. T. Sherman Council, No. 472, National Union, this (Friday) evening, at 8:00 o'clock, in Grand Army Hall, Opera House block. J. M. BLYTHE, Pres.
C. F. POPE, Sec.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

The REPUBLICAN is indebted for daily market reports and gossip given by B. Z. Taylor, who fills all orders promptly by direct wire.

CHICAGO, Ill., May 5 1893.

ARTICLES.	Op'g	High'st	Lowest	Closing
WHEAT—				
May	72¼	72½	72¼	72¼
July	75⅜	75¾	75	75⅜
Sep	76¼	78⅛	76¼	78⅜
CORN—				
May	43¼	44⅛	43¼	44⅛
July	44⅞	45½	44⅝	45½
Sep	45⅝	46⅜	45⅝	46⅜
OATS—				
May	31½	32⅛	31⅛	32⅛
June	30¼	31⅛	30¼	31⅛
July	28⅜	28⅝	28⅜	28⅝
PORK—				
May	19 45	19 45	19 45	19 45
July	19 75	19 75	19 75	19 75
Sep	.....	.....	.....	.....
LARD—				
May	10 50	10 55	10 50	10 55
July	10 65	10 85	10 65	10 75
Sep	.....	.....	.....	.....
RIBS—				
May	10 05	10 10	10 00	10 10
July	10 15	10 17	10 05	10 17
Sep	.....	.....	.....	.....

TO-DAY'S RECEIPTS—CAR LOTS.

Wheat, all grades, 211; Contract, 87.
Corn, all grades, 133, Contract, 56.
Oats, all grades, 187, Contract, 42.

LIVE STOCK RECEIPTS.

Hogs 15,000; 20c higher $7.30 to $7.70.
Cattle 8,000, steady.

Very strong market in wheat, corn and oats at the opening, advancing ⅛c. Very firm corn taking the lead; close race with oats. Corn closed ⅜c, oats ⅜, wheat ⅝. Provisions firm.

Puts on July wheat..........75⅛
Calls " " "..........75⅞
Puts " May corn..........43⅝
Calls " " "..........45⅝

Curb, July wheat 75¾; May corn 45⅛

ESTIMATES FOR TO-MORROW

Wheat, 285; Corn, 145, Oats, 160.
Hogs 17,000.

LOGAN LETTER.

The REPUBLICAN is indebted to J. T. Roberts, dealer in grain, provisions and stocks with correspondents in Chicago, New York, Minneapolis and St. Louis, for the following F. G. Logan & Co.'s market letter received over the Roberts private wire:

CHICAGO, Ill., May 5, 1893.

The wheat market to-day has been another repetition of yesterday's. The panicy condition of the New York stock market very largely increased the short interest while the same absorbing process goes on principally by the late holders of May wheat and also by the country who believe in the damage done to the growing crop, and the delay in the spring wheat country by unseasonable weather. Cash wheat is in good demand at relatively higher prices. The outlook and condition of the grain market causes us to believe that values are working to a higher level and that the money will be made on the bull side.

Outlook for good crops abroad are far from flattering and worthy of serious attention. The country and shippers bought corn early, the shippers keeping it up all day. On the swell shippers were sellers. The market has a strong undertone and shows evidence of their being a fair short interest.

Oats were very active early. There was some realizing, but later shippers were the buyers. Iowa and Nebraska complain of poor prospects [illegible]

Provisions ruled firm with some outside buying [illegible]

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FRIDAY EVE., MAY 5, 1893.

HOKE SMITH'S theory that public offices exist for the benefit of those who do not fill them, will never be popular with the southern gentleman sah.

THE correspondents, in London, who represent the New York papers are saying that no more people will visit America from Europe, this year, than ordinarily visit the country when there is no world's fair. It is fair to remark, however, in this connection, that those who represent the nations of Europe, in this country, entertain a different opinion.

GOV. PENNOYER, of Oregon, has again brought himself into public notice. It will be remembered that he is the person who refused to meet President Harrison at the state line, saying in explanation, that if President Harrison wanted to see him he knew where to find him. He is also the same person who refused to allow his adjutant general to fire a salute in honor of the inauguration of President Cleveland, and now, because the government has asked him to protect the Chinese in his state from violence when the exclusion act takes effect, he telegraphed back: "I will attend to my business. Let the President attend to his." This is Pennoyer, that is all.

The State Fair.

The fight in the house for the location of the state fair as between Decatur and Peoria has been settled in favor of the latter by a vote of 84 to 54. At least twelve votes went to Peoria on the final ballot that should have stood for Decatur. These votes were made up of such men as McKinley, of Paris, who had no other motive in doing so than to close up the contest after it appeared that Peoria in all probability would be in the majority. Taking these twelve votes from the 84 that Peoria got on the last ballot and adding them to Decatur's 54 would have made the vote stand Decatur 66 and Peoria 72. This, we believe was the natural situation in the house in spite of the extraordinary influences of Peoria, which brought many of the Aurora and certain other votes to her. Had the fight been made along the line of fair argument, taking into consideration the availibility of location, Decatur would have won "hands down."

In view of these facts Decatur should continue the fight to the finish. The bill will have to go to the senate and Decatur should follow it there and fight it out to the finish. She will be justified in doing this by the people of the state.

The Main Question Forgotten.

The hypocrisy of those who led the opposition to the Republicans in 1892 has been demonstrated in many ways but in none more plainly than in the fact that they made the tariff the rallying cry of the party. It was presented as the first question of the hour. Protection was held up as a robber that was eating away the substance of the poor and adding "blubber" to the sides of the aristocrat. They insisted that the Democratic party longed for power in order to apprehend and utterly destroy this robber tariff. The people gave the Democratic party power, but so far it has failed to give the people the slightest relief. Cleveland has refused to call an extra session of congress to lift the hand of the robber from the "back of toil," and the toiler is left to struggle on, according to Democratic gospel. This has the appearance of dishonesty, but what is stranger still, the tariff question has lost its charms for the Democratic leaders and that party has discovered that another question, which they failed to make important in the campaign, overshadows the tariff question, namely the financial question and all talk of calling an extra session of congress to relieve the people from the "robber tariff" has ceased and the financial question is put to the front as a reason why a special session of Congress will probably become a necessity. The facts are the Democratic leaders did not believe what they said of the tariff in the campaign and are afraid to meddle with it unless absolutely forced to do so, hence it has been forced to the rear. Speaking of the real reasons for an extra session the St. Louis *Globe-Democrat* says:

At all events, an extra session, and at a comparatively early day, may reasonably be looked for. The silver problem has presented itself recently in a more menacing shape than was expected at the time the present Administration came into power. No special harm from the operation of the law of 1890 was apprehended this year, and before it should have a chance to come to Congress, in the regular session, would be able to act in the premises. But this hope, from present indications, is likely to prove deceptive. Trouble may come earlier than anybody imagined, and this may necessitate direct Congressional action. Extra sessions of Congress are seldom called. None have been had since Hayes' days in the Presidency. They are never called except when the situation, in the opinion of the Administration is grave. If one be called this year, and the probability is now that there will be, it will be on account of the monetary question solely, for no other issue is before the country that can cause any trouble this year.

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with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quack medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years, and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood-purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing Catarrh. Send for testimonials, free. F. J. CHENEY & Co., Props., Toledo, Ohio.

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RUFE CONE, the new chief of police at Wichita, has ordered all saloons in that place closed at 12 o'clock hereafter. He says: "No man should be away from his family later than 12 o'clock, and if a man isn't married he ought to be."

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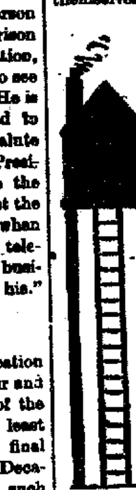
The Best Salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, tetter, chapped hands, chilblains, corns, and all skin eruptions, and positively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by King & Wood.

Cleanliness the Best Prayer.

Baltimore Sun: The Rev. Dr. S. D. McConnell of Philadelphia takes a somewhat practical view of the efficiency of prayer. He does not believe in allowing the powder to get wet and then praying for victory. He thinks it is folly to deliberately jump from a house-top and then pray not to be hurt by the fall. It seems that the Bishop of Pennsylvania has issued a form of prayer for deliverance from the threatened invasion of cholera. Dr. McConnell declared in his pulpit last Sunday that the people of Philadelphia have no standing in the courts of Heaven to offer up any such petition. Such a prayer at this time he said would be a mockery. "Instead of leading you in an unwarranted prayer, I think I better discharge the duties of a christian minister by calling to your mind your own duty and your own shortcomings in the premises." Having deliberately and wantonly neglected every means of cleanliness to avert the cholera, it is futile, said the Doctor, for people who will not help themselves to call on God to help them.



HIGH LIVING, if you keep at it, is apt to tell upon the liver. The things to prevent this are Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. Take one of these little Pellets for a corrective or gentle laxative — three for a cathartic. They're the smallest, easiest to take, pleasantest and most natural in the way they act. They do *permanent* good. Constipation, Indigestion, Bilious Attacks, Sick or Bilious Headache, and all derangements of the liver, stomach, and bowels, are prevented, relieved, and cured.

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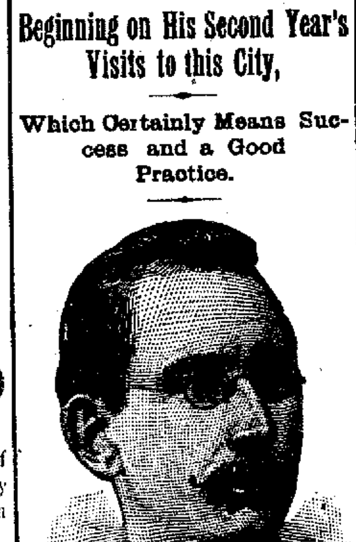

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Correspondence solicited and confidential. Address Dr. D. D. Rea, No. 275 South State Street, Chicago, Ill.

Sealed Bids.

Public notice is hereby given that the contract for improving and paving East Prairie Avenue in the City of Decatur, Macon county, Illinois, from the east line of South Franklin street, east to the west line of North Broadway street, will be let to the lowest responsible bidder. That sealed bids will be received at the office of the city clerk of said city, from the date hereof, until five o'clock p. m. of Monday, the 15th day of May 1893.

That the improving and paving of said portion of said avenue is declared to be a local improvement and shall be constructed according to the plans and specifications of the ordinance relating thereto, passed by the city council of said city, on the 3d day of April, 1893.

All bidders will be required to comply with the provisions of said ordinance in relation to furnishing samples of brick, certified check or bond, and all other requirements contained therein. All bids will be submitted to said city council which conform to all conditions of said ordinance. [illegible]

Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY,
In the Circuit Court to the June Term, A. D. 1893.

Rachel Brown vs. Asa Brown, Michael Brown, Alice Brown, Charles Brown, Sarah Vail, Frank Vail, Walter Vail, Morris Vail, Bessie Wright, Oliver Vail and George Wright.

Notice is hereby given to the above-named Charles Brown, Sarah Vail, Frank Vail, Morris Vail, Oliver Vail, Bessie Wright, George Wright and Alice Brown, that the above-named complainant has heretofore commenced her suit in chancery against the defendants above named, and that summons has been issued to the sheriff of Macon county against the said Charles Brown, Sarah Vail, Frank Vail, Morris Vail, Oliver Vail, Bessie Wright, George Wright and Alice Brown, which said summons has been returned not found as to each of them and that the said cause is now pending and undetermined in the circuit court of Macon county. Now, unless you, the said Charles Brown, Sarah Vail, Frank Vail, Morris Vail, Oliver Vail, Bessie Wright, George Wright and Alice Brown, and each of you, shall personally be and appear at a term of the circuit court of Macon county to be held in the court house in the city of Decatur, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the first Monday in June, A. D. 1893, being the 5th day thereof, and then and there plead, answer or demur to the said bill of complaint, the same and the matters and things therein alleged against you will be taken for confessed, and a decree entered against you in accordance with the prayer of said bill.

Dated this 14th day of April, A. D. 1893.
apr14-d4w E. McCLELAN, Clerk.

Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY,
In the Circuit Court to the June Term, 1893.

The Blue Mound Savings Loan and Building Association vs. Joshua Ketcham, Frank E. Ketcham, Mrs. F. E. Ketcham, his wife, Fred Ketcham, Adolpha Ketcham, his wife, Marie E. Sutman, W. L. Sutman, her husband, Edith A. Allen, M. B. Allen, her husband, Judson Ketcham and Myrtis Ketcham.

It appearing by affidavit filed in my office that Frank E. Ketcham and Mrs. F. E. Ketcham, his wife, heirs at law of Mary A. Ketcham, deceased, two of the above named defendants, are each non-residents of this state, and that they reside at Glenn Dive, Montana, notice is hereby given to the above named defendants, Frank E. Ketcham and Mrs. F. E. Ketcham, his wife, that the above named complainant has heretofore commenced its suit in chancery against the defendants above named, which said suit is now pending in said circuit court for trial at the June term thereof, 1893; now unless you, the said Frank E. Ketcham and Mrs. F. E. Ketcham, his wife, shall each be and appear on the first day of said term of said court to plead, answer or demur to said bill of complaint, the same will be taken as confessed and a decree rendered according to the prayer thereof.

Dated this 25th day of April, 1893.
E. McCLELLAN,
Clerk of said court of said county.
apr25-d4w

Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY.
In the Circuit Court, June Term, 1893.

MELISE STRICKLINE vs. JOHN W. STRICKLINE, } In chancery.

Affidavit of the non-residence in this state of said John W. Strickline, the defendant in the above entitled cause, having been filed in the office of the clerk of the circuit court of said county, notice is hereby given to the said John W. Strickline that the above named complainant heretofore filed her bill of complaint in said court, on the chancery side thereof which suit is still pending, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against the above named defendant returnable on the first day of the June term of said court, to be held at the court house in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the first Monday of June, A. D. 1893. Now, unless you, the said John W. Strickline, shall be and appear on the first day of said term of said court and plead, answer or demur to the said bill of complaint, the same will be taken as true and a decree rendered according to the prayer thereof.

Dated Decatur, Ill., this 24th day of April, 1893.
E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.
J. M. Lee, Solicitor.
Apr24-d4w.

Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY.
In the Circuit Court, June Term, A. D. 1893.

Jacob F. Ebert, Executor of the will of Frederick Ebert, deceased, vs. Mattie L. Hovey and Louisa Ann Ebert.

To Louisa Ann Ebert:

You are hereby notified that there is a certain suit now pending and undetermined in the Circuit Court of Macon county, state of Illinois, on the chancery side of said court, wherein Jacob F. Ebert, executor of the will of Frederick Ebert, deceased, is complainant, and Mattie L. Hovey and Louisa Ann Ebert are defendants, and that summons in said cause is issued in behalf of said complainant and against the said defendants, returnable at the court house in Decatur in said county on the first Monday in June, A. D. 1893. Now, unless you, the said Louisa Ann Ebert, shall then and there appear and plead, answer, or demur to said bill of complaint, the same will be taken as confessed and a decree according to the prayer of said bill.

Dated the 21st day of April, A. D. 1893.
E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.
BUNN & PARK, Solicitors for Complainant.
apr21-d4w

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of one execution to me directed and delivered by the Clerk of the Circuit court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of Enoch W. Moore and Ira N. Barnes, partners as Moore & Barnes, and against George Warren, I have levied upon the following described property to-wit: Commencing three (3) chains and thirty-one and two-thirds (31⅔) links south of the northeast corner of the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section twenty-three (23), township sixteen (16) north, range one (1) east of the third principal meridian, thence running west fourteen (14) chains and seventy-one links, thence south three (3) chains and thirty-one links, thence east fourteen (14) chains and seventy two links, thence north three (3) chains and thirty-one and two-thirds links to the place of beginning; reserving, however, a private roadway across the west end of the said tract for the use of C. W. French and his assigns, situated in the County of Macon and State of Illinois. Taken as property of the said George Warren, which I shall offer at public sale at the north entrance to the court house in Macon county, in said state, on the 18th day of May, A. D. 1893, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

This 25th day of April, A. D. 1893.
PETER PERL,
apr 26-d3w Sheriff Macon County, Illinois.

Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of one execution to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of Lyon and Armstrong Company, a corporation, and against George Warren, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: Commencing three (3) chains and thirty-one and two-thirds (31⅔) links south of the northeast corner of northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section twenty-three (23), township sixteen (16) north, range one (1) east of the third principal meridian, thence running west fourteen (14) chains and seventy-one links, thence south three (3) chains and thirty-one links, thence east fourteen (14) chains and seventy-two links, thence north three (3) chains and thirty-one and two-thirds links to the place of beginning, reserving, however, a private roadway across the west end of the said tract for the use of C. W. French and his assigns, situated in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, taken as the property of the said George Warren, which I shall offer at public sale at the north entrance to the court house, in Macon county, in said state, on the 18th day of May, A. D. 1893, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon of said day for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

This 25th day of April, A. D. 1893.
PETER PERL,
26-d3w Sheriff Macon County, Illinois.

Sealed Bids.

Public notice is hereby given that the contract for the construction of a sewer commencing at and connecting with the north end of the West Branch of Broadway Street Sewer on North Warren street, as the same is now constructed and located, and which said sewer shall be constructed from its said beginning point, north on the central line of said North Warren street to the south line of Peoria avenue, with branches, according to the plans and specifications of the ordinance relating thereto, passed by the City Council of the City of Decatur, on the 1st day of May, 1893, will be let to the lowest responsible bidder, and that sealed bids will be received at the office of the City Clerk of said city from the date hereof, until 5 o'clock p. m. of Monday, the 15th day of May, 1893, for the construction of said sewer and branches, including all labor and material, necessary to make the same.

A bond or certified check in the sum of $300.00 must accompany each bid.

All bids will be submitted to the City Council, and said City Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Dated this 4th day of May, 1893.
L. F. SKELLEY, City Clerk.
may4-d10t.

B. I. STERRETT,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.
OFFICE—Over the Postoffice, Decatur, Ill.

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For Sale, For Rent, Wanted, Etc.

[Notices in this column, of five lines or less, will be inserted one week for 25 cents, payable in advance.]

BALL.—There will be a ball at the Guards' Armory May 18th for the benefit of John Sutter, 742 East Eldorado street. For every ticket to the ball there will be a Turkish bath ticket given free. may1-d1w*

FOR SALE.—Farms and city property. Loans and insurance placed at lowest current rates in reliable companies by S. M. Brockshire, with Wm. M. Baldridge, & Co., 146 East Main street. mi13-dtf

LIGHTNING RODS.—If you want lightning rods put on your house or barn, call on Col. Mathias, 936 North Water street. Good work guaranteed at reasonable rates. apr29-dlmo*

STORAGE.—Regular storage house for all kinds of merchandise, household goods, stoves, etc. Goods transferred to and from the house. Goods packed. Loans made. Brick building. Office and warerooms 820 East Mason street. Telephone 292. O. C. HARPSTRITE. apr27-d6t*

TO RENT.—A newly furnished front room, heated by furnace and bath room. Apply at 708 West Wood street.—apr 26-dtf.

WANTED—Second-hand stoves and furniture, for which we will pay cash. Bargains in second-hand goods.
WALKER & CHANCE,
aug29-dtf 249 East Main St.

WANTED—Faithful gentleman or lady to assist in office. Position permanent. Railway fare advanced here if engaged. Enclose reference and self-addressed stamped envelope. THE NATIONAL, 23 McVicker's Building, Chicago, Ill.—Apr 12 d3w.

SHOOTING GALLERY.—A fine rifle will be given to the person making the best score in the month of April at Barry's Shooting Gallery, No. 153 East Prairie street. april-dtf

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DREW & O'MARA,

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Room 13, Grand Opera House Block,
26-d1m DECATUR, ILL.

Sealed Bids.

Public notice is hereby given that the contract for improving and paving North Water street, in the city of Decatur, Macon county, Illinois, from the north line of Herkimer street, as Herkimer street abuts on the east side of North Water street, north to the city limits, will be let to the lowest responsible bidder. That sealed bids will be received at the office of the City Clerk of said city, from the date hereof, until five o'clock p. m. of Monday, the 15th day of May, 1893.

That the improving and paving of said portion of said street is declared to be a local improvement and shall be constructed according to the plans and specifications of the ordinance relating thereto, passed by the City Council of said city on the 3d day of April, 1893.

All bidders will be required to comply with the provisions of said ordinance in relation to furnishing samples of brick, certified check or bond, and all other requirements contained therein. All bids will be submitted to said City Council which conform to all conditions of said ordinance.

That said City Council reserves the right to reject any and all bids or any part thereof.

Dated this 4th day of May, 1893.
L. F. SKELLEY, City Clerk.
may4-d10t

Sealed Bids.

Public notice is hereby given that the contract for improving and paving West Decatur street, in the city of Decatur, Macon county, Illinois, from the west line of South Monroe street, as South Monroe street abuts on the north side of West Decatur street, west, to the east line of Haworth avenue, will be let to the lowest responsible bidder. That sealed bids will be received at the office of the city clerk of said city, from the date hereof, until five o'clock p. m. of Monday the 15th day of May, 1893.

That the improving and paving of said portion of said street, is declared to be a local improvement, and shall be constructed according to the plans and specifications of the ordinance relating thereto, passed by the city council of said city on the 3d day of April, 1893.

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The said city council reserves the right to reject any and all bids or any part thereof.

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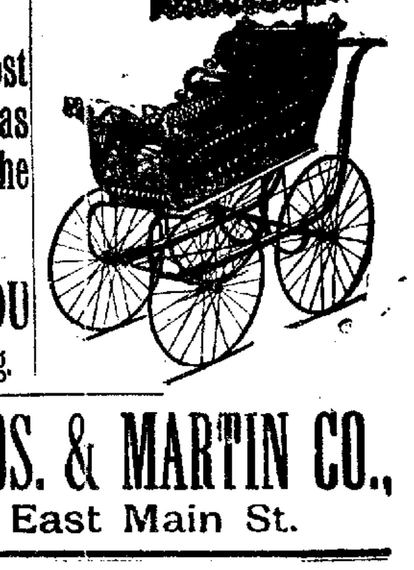

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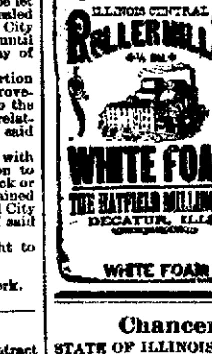

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Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS } ss.
MACON COUNTY,
In the Circuit Court to the June Term, A. D. 1893.

John I. Hulett, William and Samuel C. McBride, minors, by John I. Hulett, their half brother and next friend, vs. Ellen M. H. Chapman, Noyes B. Chapman, Americus V. Chapman, Ida M. Chapman, J. B. Conklin, sole legatee of the will of Rachel C. Conklin, deceased, and Charles E. Hulett, or the unknown legatees, devisees or heirs of Charles E. Hulett, deceased—In Chancery.

It appearing by affidavit filed in my office that the said defendants, legatees, devisees or heirs of the said Charles E. Hulett, supposed to be deceased, are persons unknown and are all interested in this suit; that Charles E. Hulett and J. B. Conklin are non-residents of this state, and that the residence of the unknown legatees, devisees or heirs of said Charles E. Hulett, supposed to be deceased, are unknown, notice is hereby given to each of you, the said Charles E. Hulett, or the unknown legatees, devisees or heirs of Charles E. Hulett, supposed to be deceased, the said J. B. Conklin, sole legatee under the will of Rachel C. Conklin, deceased, that the above named complainants have filed their bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof, which suit is now pending, and that summons thereupon issued out of said court against the above named defendants, returnable on the first day of the next June term of said court, to be held at the court house in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the first Monday of June, A. D. 1893.

Now, unless you, the said J. B. Conklin, Charles E. Hulett, or the unknown legatees, devisees or heirs of the said Charles E. Hulett, supposed to be deceased, shall each be and appear on the first day of said term of said court, to plead, answer or demur to said bill of complaint, the same will be taken as confessed, and a decree rendered according to the prayer thereof.

Dated this 30th day of March, 1893.
E. McCLELLAN,
m30-d4w Clerk of Circuit Court of said Co.

Administrator's Notice.

Estate of Joseph D. McGuire, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed administrator of the estate of Joseph D. McGuire, late of the county of Macon, and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the June term, on the first Monday in June next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned. Dated this [illegible]

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } s. s.
MACON COUNTY.
To the June term, A. D., 1893.

Frances E. Baker vs. Robert H. Woodcock, administrator with the will annexed in the estate of Earnest F. Dellbridge, Fredericke Dellbridge, Fred Dellbridge and the wife of the said Fred Dellbridge, whose name is to your orator is unknown, and who is an unknown heir of said Earnest Dellbridge, deceased, Amelia Harbert, Henry Harbert, Earnest F. Dellbridge, Louisa Dellbridge, Louisa Kraft, John Kraft, Henry W. Dellbridge, Mary Dellbridge, Yetta Moss and William Moss, Earnest Harbert, Lewis Harbert, Henry Harbert, William Wilson and Fred Willson.

Affidavit that on due inquiry that of the above named defendants, Earnest Harbert, Lewis Harbert and Henry Harbert that upon diligent inquiry the present place of residence of the said Earnest Harbert, Lewis Harbert and Henry Harbert, could not be ascertained, having been filed in the office of the clerk of the circuit court of the said county, notice is hereby given to the said Lewis Harbert, Earnest Harbert and Henry Harbert that the above named complainant heretofore filed in her bill of complaint upon the chancery side thereof which said suit is still pending and that a summons there-upon issued out of said court against the above named defendants returnable on the first day of the next June term of said court, to be held at the court house in said county on the first Monday of June, A. D. 1893. Now, unless you, the said Lewis Harbert, Earnest Harbert and Henry Harbert shall appear on the first day of said term of said court, and plead answer or demur to the said bill of complaint, the same will be taken as true and a decree rendered according to the prayer thereof.

Dated this 26th day of April, A. D., 1893.
E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.
C. C. LEFORGEE, Attorney.

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY.
In the circuit court of the June, term, A. D. 1893.

Jasper Young vs. Emma L. Young, divorce.

Affidavit of the non-residence of the said Emma L. Young, defendant in the above entitled cause, having been filed in my office according to law. Notice is hereby given to you, the said defendant, that Jasper Young complainant in said cause, has filed his bill of complaint in the circuit court of Macon county aforesaid on the chancery side thereof. That a summons has been issued out of said court thereon, against you the said Emma L. Young, returnable in said court on the first day of the next June term thereof, A. D., 1893, at the court house in Decatur, in said county and state. That unless you [illegible] and there [illegible] said bill, it [illegible]

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FROM ST. LOUIS.	TO ST. LOUIS
No. 36 Pass.... 3:45 p m	No. 9 Pass....6:30 a m
No. 4 Pass .... 10:35 a m	No. 3 Pass.... 3:45 am
No. 44 Pass....11:05 a m	No. 43 Pass .... 4:05 a m
No. 42 Pass.... 10 15 p m	No. 45 Pass ... 3:05 p m
No. 2 Pass....12.35 p m	No. 5 Pass.... 2 55 p m

FROM QUINCY AND KANSAS CITY.	TO QUINCY AND KANSAS CITY.
No. 42 Pass ....10 10 p m	No. 43 Pass.... 4.30 a m
No. 44 Pass.... 10:30 a m	No. 45 Pass.... 3 10 p m
No. 4 Pass..... 6:15 a m	No. 1 Pass .. 3 07 p m
No. 46 Acc...... 7:35 p m	No. 47 Acc...... 6:45 a m
No. 70, Freight11:35 a m	No 71, Freight12 45 p m

FROM TOLEDO & DETROIT.	TO TOLEDO & DETROIT
No. 42 Pass.... 3:30 a m	No. 45 Pass.... 6.35 a m
No. 46 Pass.... 1:20 p m	No. 44 Pass.. 11 10 a m
No. 44 Pass.... 9:00p m	No. 42 Pass .. 10.35 p m
No. 47 Pass from Bement10.35 a m	No. 48 Pass to Bement.. 3:15 p m

FROM CHICAGO.	TO CHICAGO.
No. 3 Pass..... 3.35 a m	No. 2 Pass.... 11:45 a m
No. 1 Pass, except Sunday 3:50 p m	No. 6 Pass, except Sunday 6:25 a m
No. 5 Pass ...... 3.30 p m	No. 4 Pass .. 11 15 a m

ILLINOIS CENTRAL.

NORTH.	SOUTH.
No. 118 (Diamond Special) .... 1:53 a. m	No. 117 (Diamond Special) .... 3:35 a. m
No. 122 mail .... 8:23 a. m	No. 121 mail 10:25 a. m
No. 162 accom. 2.50 p. m	No. 163 pass. 5 20 p. m
No. 162 pass .... 9:00 p m	No. 193 way ft 9 10 a. m
No. 194 way ft 5:30 p. m	No. 701 (Havana Line) arrives 10 15 a. m
No. 700 (Havana Line) leaves. 3 15 p. m	

INDIANAPOLIS, DECATUR & WESTERN.

ARRIVE.	LEAVE.
No. 1 Pass .. 3:20 p m	No. 2 Pass... 11 15 a m
No. 3 Pass .. 4:35 a m	No. 4 Pass .. 10:20 p m
No. 7 Freight 9:00 a m	No. 8 Freight 6.30 a m
No. 9 Freight 5:00 p m	No. 10 Freight 4:30 p m

PEORIA, DECATUR & EVANSVILLE.

NORTH.	SOUTH.
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[illegible]	No. 3 Pass... 10:[illegible] p m
[illegible]	No. 11 Pass, Sunday [illegible]

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FRIDAY EVE., MAY 5, 1893.

LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

DENZ & SON, tailors.

IT will rain to-day.—dtf

TAKE Irwin's Sarsaparilla.

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THE question of Rev. Goodwin's resignation may be settled to-night at a meeting of St. John's vestry.

PATRONIZE O. N. May, the grocer in Syndicate Block. All orders promptly filled.

MATINEE to-morrow afternoon at the Grand. Prices only 10 and 20 cents to any part of the house.

BEST Cabinet Photos only $3 per dozen. Call and see samples. Nicholson, Piper's Studio. 26-d6w1*

BUY what you want for the table at the Philip Kemper grocery store on North Water street. Telephone 198.

DR. L. A. HARPER and Miss Maud Hull were married May 3d at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. J. N. Hull, at Bethany.

Use
Decatur's Best
White Loaf Flour.

A MISSIONARY sociable was held yesterday afternoon at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Johnson.

THE Spencer & Lehman company have just received a full line of fresh garden seeds from D. M. Ferry & Co. march10-d&w2m

FAMILY matinee to-morrow afternoon at the Grand. Little Mabel will appear in fetching songs and dances.

ALL groceries bought at the John I Hanks store on South Water street delivered promptly to any part of the city Call and leave orders

GET photos at Abrams, pay a fair price for your work and have pictures that you can justly feel proud of to give to your friends. 1-d1w

THE new order by the railroads charging $1 for 48 hours which a car remains unloaded after setting for the consignee went into effect a few days ago at Kankakee.

MISS MARION E. KELLEY will receive pupils in voice culture and pianoforte at her music room on East North street, at the "Roby." after May 1. apr26 d1m

ABRAMS makes photos for $3 per dozen, fine as any in the city, but will make you finer for additional cost. Abrams the Leader is here to stay and must do fine work. 1-d1w

Piles of people have piles, but DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve will cure them. W. F. Neisler.

A DOZEN barbers of Springfield have been indicted for keeping open their shops on Sunday. The indictments are the results of a fight made by the Barber's Union for Sunday closing.

WM. MCCARTHY, 122 E. 8th St., Cincinnati, Ohio, writes: "I used Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup in my family with good results." We recommend it to all heads of families as the best."

ONE hundred and forty four head of the best cattle raised on the Allerton land, near Monticello, were recently shipped to England direct. They averaged 1,700 pounds.

THE man who called sarsaparilla a fraud, had good reason; for he got hold of a worthless mixture at "reduced rates." He changed his opinion, however, when he began to take Ayer's Sarsaparilla. It pays to be careful, when buying medicines.

CALL at the C. B. Prescott music house and you will find everything wanted in the musical line—standard pianos and first-class organs, besides the latest sheet music and musical merchandise generally.

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DEWITT'S Witch Hazel Salve causes wounds to heal rapidly, purifies and cleanses obstinate sores and is a well-known cure for piles.

THE funeral of the late Mrs. Dingman will occur on Sunday at Niantic. The services were to have been held yesterday, but the burial was deferred to await the arrival of a son of the deceased who is on his way home from the west.

THE other day a man said: "I'm so bilious as I can be." His friend replied: "Take DeWitt's Little Early Risers, these little pills cured me." W. F. Neisler.

WELLS drove or bored, from two to thirty-six inches, walled with either brick or tile. For terms and prices call at C. R. Foster's grocery store, 1075 North Water street. m28-dtf

FIVE prisoners in the county jail at Quincy, Ill., attempted to blow it to pieces with dynamite Tuesday night. The explosion knocked down the stairway and loosened some of the bars, but did not weaken the wall. One of the prisoners was stunned, but the other four escaped unhurt. Where they obtained the dynamite is a mystery.

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DID NOT GET A TRIAL.

John Collins Strung Up by a Kentucky Mob Wednesday Night.

John Collins, alias J. B. Clark, who languished in the Decatur jail several weeks for stealing a buggy and set of harness from Jerry Duncan, east of Decatur, and also took a horse from a farmer named Kearney, met an ignoble end Wednesday night, when he was lynched by a mob of masked farmers. He was hung from the limb of a tree near the small town of Sherman, and his body was riddled with bullets. Copies of the Cincinnati *Enquirer* reached Decatur last night. It contains over a column account of the lynching Marshal Walden and J. W. Hutchison left Decatur with the prisoner Tuesday night, going south by way of Indianapolis. Collins was chained to Walden. The party was on their way to Williamstown, Ky. Before leaving Decatur, Hutchison telegraphed a friend at about what time Collins would reach Kentucky. The officers and prisoner were on a slow train which made all stops, and when Sherman was reach the mob, armed with pistols and guns, raided the car, overpowered the officers and dragged Collins out to his death. He begged piteously for mercy, but his cries were unheeded.

It is stated that Collins who was 44 years of age has been a thief from childhood. He is charged with having stolen a total of nearly 25 horses in his life time and with being a member of a band of thieves. He had done time in the penitentiaries of three states, and he stated when in the Decatur jail that he had a brother in the penitentiary.

It was through the efforts of Marshal Mason, Mr. Kearney and Jerry Duncan that Collins was caught. Duncan and Kearney had buggies stolen from them, and Mason got the first clew of the robber's identity. It was given at the City Hotel on West Main street. One night in March last a party drove up to the hotel in a buggy and remained there until morning. He had Duncan's buggy and harness and a horse. The hotel man got a good description of the party who it subsequently developed was Collins who had worked for Kearney and Duncan. Collins got away with the stolen property disposing of it at St. Louis Nothing more was heard of him, until a farmer informed Duncan that he believed Collins was working on a farm near Hervey City. The conjecture was correct. Collins was in the employ of Farmer Sanner, but when Officers Dempsey and Connard got there with the warrant sworn out by Duncan, it was learned that Collins had disappeared. He had told Sanner that he was going to St. Louis and might be gone two weeks. He left a trunk at Sanner's house It was opened and found to contain clothing Collins wore when he worked for Duncan and Kearney. Marshal Mason made an agreement with Mr. Sanner that he should telegraph him as soon as Collins returned. Within two weeks' time Sanner sent the expected message and Dempsey and Connard went to the farm house and found Collins in bed. It was an easy capture. Collins fainted when he got out of bed, but quickly recovered. It developed later that instead of going to St. Louis, Collins had gone back to Kentucky and had stolen a fine horse from J. W Hutchinson, which was then at the Sanner farm and which the owner subsequently recovered.

Four different Kentucky people came to Decatur to have a look at Collins and learn from him where certain stolen goods could be located

While in the Decatur jail Collins chatted gaily with his companions. Doubtless he expected to be sent to the penitentiary on his return to Kentucky, but he had no thought of meeting his death at the hands of a mob. While at the jail he did a charitable act. The wife of Barber Spence, in jail for stealing from John Sutter, came to the prison to visit her husband. She had no money and did not know what to do. Collins heard of her predicament—a stranger in Decatur, penniless, and her husband in jail Collins gave her $28 in cash, and she went away happy

After a Settlement.

An unusual litigation has been started in the Macon county circuit court. It is a case of daughter against father, the daughter demanding a settlement, which it appears cannot be secured without a law-suit. Mr and Mrs Francis Daprey, of Blue Mound, are the defendants, and Mrs Eugenia Pope, the daughter, is the plaintiff. Eugenia is the wife of Willard C. Pope, who lives at Blue Mound. Mrs. Pope sues to recover possession of about 180 acres of land in Carroll county, Mo, which she alleges her father holds and will not turn over to her. The land, she says, is worth about $6 000.

Mrs Pope's bill of complaint declares that in 1880, while she was the wife of Jules Ogle, of Carroll county, she became the owner of 160 acres and her husband became owner of 20 acres in that county. The husband borrowed $1,500 and gave a trust deed to all the land as security. While this indebtedness was still a lien on the land she sued for divorce and got it.

While the divorce proceedings were pending the land was sold and her father bought it in, for her, she claims. They agreed that she was to pay him $2,000 in five years. She says he has collected the rents, amounting in all to $1,515 and she has tendered him the balance of the $2,000 in cash, but he refuses to give credit for the rents. She wants the court to order him to make settlement. Buckingham & Schroll have been secured for the defense.

Will Confer To-Night.

The conference between Mayor Moffitt and the members of the city council on the make up of the standing committees and appointments will be held to-night at the city hall in the court house. It is possible that the Democratic mayor and Republican aldermen will reach an agreement, and that there will be no friction at the regular meeting of the council Monday night.

The Medical Society.

The Capital District Medical Society, which closed its meeting yesterday at the W. C. T. U. rooms, proved to be the most profitable session ever held by the society. Dr. J. L. Bevans was admitted to membership at the afternoon session. The next meeting will be held at Springfield.

Ladies Fasting

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TROTTERS AND PACERS.

Entries for the Decatur Fall Race Meeting.

Secretary George A. Keller, of the Decatur Trotting Association, has closed the books of entry for the fall race meeting at the Decatur mile track, which will begin on August 29 and close Sept. 1st. This meeting promises to be the crowning one of the series in point of speed and entertainment. The horses entered for the stake races are known to be among the very best on the turf. The entry list is as follows:

TROTTING FOALS—1893—STAKE $200.

G. W. Stoner, La Place.
Acriton Stock Farm, Peoria
G A. Fuller, Lincoln.
Neal Stock Farm, Charleston.
D. W. Brenneman & Bro., Decatur.
Ponca Land & Horse Co., Ponca, Neb
J. T Witton, Litchfield.

TROTTING FOALS 1891—STAKE $300.

C. T. Luthy, Peoria.
A. Sattley, Taylorville.
L. Metzger, Winchester.
I. Shoemaker & Son, Monticello.
G. A. Fuller, Lincoln.
T. F. Brunk, Cotton Hill.
G. B. Baum, Indianola.
A. G. Barnes & Son, Taylorville.
D. J. Hume & Son, Elizabeth, Ky.
N. T Kirby, Jacksonville.
H. J. Marbold, Greenview.
I. R. Mills, Wayne Wilson, and D. W. Brenneman & Bro., Decatur.
Tandy & Thornton, Uniontown, Ky.
T. B. Ripy, Lawrenceburg, Ky.
Walter Dunn, Charleston.
J. W. Pennepacker, Louisville, Ky.
W. J White, Rockport, O.
Kelley & Johnson, St. Elmo.
Dorsey Stock Farm, Lyndon Station, Ky.
Wilson Stock Farm, Pleasant Plains.
F. W. Burton, Carlinville.

TROTTING FOALS 1890—STAKE $400.

Acriton Stock Farm and C. T. Luthy, Peoria
S. W. Howell, Burrowsville.
T. H. Johnson, Taylorville.
L. DeBoice, Clinton.
S. Metzger, Winchester.
I. Shoemaker & Son, Monticello.
Neal Stock Farm, Charleston.
N. T. Kirby, Jacksonville.
G. G Council, Williamsville.
Ponca Horse and Land Co, Ponca, Neb.
Walter Dunn, Charleston.
W. J. White, Rockport, O.
L. C. Balch, Little Rock, Ark.

PACING FOALS 1891—STAKE $300.

N T Kirby, Jacksonville.
Snyder & Blythe, Delphi, Ind.
D. W. Brenneman & Co., Decatur.
J. C. Hall, Boswell, Ind.
J W Pennepacker, Louisville, Ky.
Walter Dunn, Charleston.
Neal Stock Farm, Charleston.
Baldwin Park Farm, Lake City, Minn.
L. C. Balch, Little Rock, Ark.
G. and C. P. Cecil, Danville, Ky
W. E. Johnson, Humboldt.

RACING FOALS 1890—STAKE $400.

C. L. Luthy, Peoria.
Acriton Stock Farm, Peoria
L. Copeland, Warrington, Ind.
D. W. Brenneman & Bro., Decatur.
E J. Warvin, Boswell, Ind. Mat Cooper, Boswell, Ind. J. C. Hall, Boswell, Ind.
T. B. Ripy, Lawrenceburg, Ky.
W J. White, Rockport, O.
Wilson Stock Farm, Pleasant Plains.
G and C. P. Cecil, Danville, Ky.
George Warmouth, Clayton, Ind.
E W. Burton, Carlinville

2 50 TROTTING—STAKE $1,000

C. T Luthy, Acriton Stock Farm, Peoria.
C D. Flagbner, Thornton.
T. F. Talbott, Harristown.
H. C. Starr, Decatur.
L. Copeland, Warrington
G A. Fuller, Lincoln.
Neal Stock Farm, Charleston.
A. G. Barnes & Son, Taylorville
Scott Hudson, Nicholasville, Ky
N. T. Kirby, Jacksonville.
J. G. Blythe, Delphi, Ind
I R Mills, D. W. Brenneman, Decatur.
Ponca Horse and Land Company, Ponca, Neb.
Tandy & Thornton, Uniontown, Ky.
J. W. Pennepacker, Louisville, Ky.
Baldwin Park Farm, Lake City, Minn.
W. J. Park, Rockport, O.
Joseph C. Peck, East Orange, N. J
Kelly & Johnston, St. Elmo, Mo.
Dorsey Stock Farm, Lyndon Stables, Ky.
F. W. Nolte, Mt. Vernon, Ind.
Louis White, Chillicothe.
J. R. Kevil, Princeton, Ky.

2 22 TROTTING—STAKE $1,000

F E. McFarland, Acriton Stock Farm, C. T. Luthy, Peoria.
J. J. Duff, Beason.
D J. Hume & Son, Elizabeth, Ky.
Ponca Horse and Land Company, Ponca, Neb.
C. M Gibson, Fremont, Mich.
I. B. Ripey, Lawrenceburg, Ky
W. J. White, Rockport, O.
Dorsey Stock Farm, Lyndon Stables, Ky.
G and C. P. Cecil, Danville, Ky.
McAdams Bros, Lewisburg, Tenn.

2:45 PACING—STAKE $1,000.

Stoner & Burrows, Decatur.
Neal Stock Farm, Charleston
G. B Tyler, Mattoon.
G A. Mann, South Bend, Ind.
Scott Hudson, Nicholasville, Ky.
Dongan & Cary, Urbana.
Merriman & Co., Williamsville.
H. J Marbold, Greenview.
Ponca Horse and Land Company, Ponca, Neb
C. M. Gibson, Fremont, Mich
E. J. Warvin, Boswell, Ind.
A. Bryant, Mt. Vernon, Ind
T. H. Ripy, Lawrenceburg, Ky.
George Warmouth, Clayton, Ind
W. J. White, Rockport, O
Kelly & Johnston, St. Elmo
G. and O. P. Cecil, Danville, Ky.
O. J. Boyer, Canton.
Lewis & Fussell, Markleville, Ind.
R. L. Leonard, Waco, Texas
Jordan Bros., Clinton.
McAdams Bros., Lewisburg, Tenn.
Louis White, Chillicothe.

2 25 PACING—STAKE $1,600.

C. T Luthy, Acriton Stock Farm, Peoria.
G. B. Tyler, Mattoon.
A. S Waltz, D W. Brenneman & Bro., Decatur
C F. Bissell, Indianapolis, Ind.
H. J. Marbold, Greenview.
T. B. Ripy, Lawrenceburg, Ky.
G. and C. P. Cecil, Danville, Ky.
J. W Pennepacker, Louisville, Ky.
Walter Dunn, Charleston.
W. J White, Rockport, O
Joseph C. Peck, East Orange, N J.
Dorsey Stock Farm, Lyndon Stables, Ky.
J. T. Vittum, Canton.
O. Hair & Co., Paris.
R. L. Leonard, Waco, Texas.
T. Pollock, Bloomington.

Monuments.

W. H. Grindol & Son, corner of East Main and Franklin streets, have a large stock of very fine granite and marble monuments and head stones on hand; also a very fine line of iron reservoir vases for cemetery purposes. Call and examine their stock; you will find it the best and cheapest in the city. april 7-d2m

New Jewelry Store.

We have opened a jewelry department in which we have a fine line of Jewel gasoline and Jewel gas stoves. Call and see them.

LYTLE & ECKELS HARDWARE CO.

DEPRIVED of health, there is no pleasure in living DeWitt's Little Early Risers are pills that produce health. They aid digestion regulate the bowels and cure constipation. W. F. Neisler.

TOWNSHIP CONVENTIONS.

Dates Set for Township Sunday School Conventions.

The executive committee of the Macon County Sunday School Association held a meeting in Decatur April 21st, and after consultation fixed upon the following dates for holding the township conventions:

Austin	May 14	Niantic	June 11
BlueMound	May 14	Long Creek	June 11
Harristown	May 21	Illini	June 18
Oakley	May 21	Macon	June 18
Whitmore	May 21	Milam	June 25
P. View	May 28	Hickory	June 25
Maroa	May 28	Mt. Zion	July 2
Wheatland	June 11	F. Creek	July 2

DECATUR TOWNSHIP.

Baptist Mission	May 14
Grace M. E. Mission	May 28
College Street Chapel	June 18
Sargent Chapel	July 2
Westminster Chapel	July 16
Edmond Street Chapel	July 30

The circular issued to the township officers calls attention to the International S. S. convention at St. Louis next August, and more especially to the Illinois State Sunday school convention at Quincy May 16th, 17th and 18th. The Macon county Sunday school field day is particularly mentioned and the co-operation of every officer and superintendent solicited to make the day, Thursday, June 22, a great one in the history of the county. The county Sunday school convention will be held at Oreana Thursday and Friday, August 24-25.

LOOK OUT FOR THE STICKER.

An Advertising Scheme Which Causes Silver Dollars to be Rejected at Bank.

From every section of Illinois, Missouri and Arkansas letters have come to the comptroller of currency and the chief of the secret service division of the treasury department inquiring about the legality of a certain "sticker." The "sticker" is a small piece of paper made for attaching to a silver dollar on which is printed an advertisement of the man who is foolish enough to pay for the gumpaper. The treasury officials have decided that this is a violation of law and every effort is being made to put an immediate stop to the fad, which seems to be spreading throughout the west. The treasurer has already sent back to banks thousands of dollars decorated with this paper, and he has notified banks that he will not take them under any circumstances. It appears that the gum on the back of the "sticker" is of such a character that the paper cannot be removed from the coin even after it has been soaked for twenty-four hours, and as there is no appropriation with which to clean the coin, the department will not receive them as legal tender. The saloon-keepers, country store-keepers and all sorts of people in the west have bought these things and banks are sending in appeals to the secretary to make vigorous efforts to suppress the nuisance.

How Can We Boom Decatur?

This is the question that is agitating the minds of all who have home interests at heart. What is the use of our board of trade and kindred organizations, when quite a large per cent of our people seem to prefer purchasing goods manufactured elsewhere instead of home products which are equal in every respect and in many instances better than the goods shipped in.

This is specially true of flour. There is no good reason why any flour should be shipped into Decatur, for the Shellabarger Mills are acknowledged to be the best in the state, and their celebrated brands—White Loaf and Daily Bread—cannot be excelled by any mill. It is true there are cheaper grades of flour which can be purchased for less money by the dealers, and in turn sold to the consumers for the same money Shellabarger's flour is sold for. This gives the dealer a large profit and the public a poor grade of flour.

When you buy White Loaf and Daily Bread you get the best and your money remains at home and gives employment to men who in turn patronize the grocer, butcher, clothier, etc, thus building up home trade How about your money spent for Minneapolis flour? Do any of these outside mills contribute in any way to the success of our city? Do they help pay our taxes? Do they give employment to home labor?

If so, they are entitled to a share of your patronage.

Money spent for this outside flour leaves your city and goes to enrich British stockholders who own the majority of these mills.

You certainly cannot expect our home enterprises to flourish unless the home people stand by them.

Call for Decatur's best—*White Loaf Flour.*

C. B. Prescott Music House.

The music store and business of the late C. B Prescott has been purchased by Mrs. C. B. Prescott, and will be continued by her in the future as in the past under the name of the C. B. Prescott Music House. Her business interests will be managed by W. H. Muzzy and A. H. Cox, who had been with Mr. Prescott over fourteen years each, and are thoroughly acquainted with the requirements of the trade. The house will continue to handle the best pianos and organs on the market and a complete line of musical instruments and merchandise. The reputation of the house has long been established, and the new management assures the public that it will be maintained in every detail in future. may2-d6

Free Trip to Alaska.

By buying one of our *Alaska Refrigerators.* They will freeze every thing in sight. E. D. BARTHOLOMEW.

BY the will of Mrs. Emily T. Eckert more than $500,000 has been distributed among nearly every known institution in Philadelphia for the relief of poverty and distress.

You have time to read, time to think but no time to be sick. Read about DeWitt's Little Early Risers and you will think it is better to take these little pills than to suffer from sick headache or constipation. W. F. Neisler.

Tan, Heliotrope,
French Terra Cotta,
Smoked Pearl.

LATEST COLORS IN INGRAINS, with beautiful 20 and 30 inch Friezes to match. *Do not be misled—they have not gone out of style.*

CONKLIN & HOUSUM,
+++ Wall Paper, +++

Johnston's May Sale.

BARGAINS IN EVERY DEPARTMENT OF OUR STORE. We are badly overstocked. Bad weather of the last ten days forces us to make deep cuts to sell our merchandise. Decatur people are bound to appreciate bargains we offer this week.

DRESS GOODS.

79c Buys our elegant silk finished Henrietta, 46 inches wide, always sold at $1.00 a yard. See it.

75c Our line of $1.00 Serges put on sale to-day at 75c; all colors and 46 inches wide.

48c We will put our line of 40-inch all wool Henriettas that we sold at from 50c to 60c on sale at 48c

SILKS.

We have too many China Silks, so we are going to sell them at reduced prices.

38c Buys our 50c quality of Printed China Silks, all colors.

49c Buys an extra wide quality of China Silks (in figures) worth 75c.

75c We put out our dollar line of Printed India Silks, 22 inches wide, real value $1 00, at 75c.

MUSLINS.

See our muslins at 5c, 6¼c, 7c a yard, worth 7c, 8⅓c and 10c.

Extra wide sheeting on sale at 19c, worth 25c.

Pillow casing, 42 and 46 inches wide, at 11½ and 12½c per yard. 15c goods.

Lace Curtains.

We are going to give some special drives in curtains this week. Notice:

15 pairs Lace Curtains worth $2, at $1 48

20 pairs Lace Curtains worth $2 50, at $1 89.

25 pairs Lace Curtains worth $3.50, at $2 48.

12 pairs Lace Curtains worth $5, at $3.95

15 pair Lace Curtains worth $7 50, at $4 89. Come and see them.

CORSETS.

25 dozen Summer Corsets put on sale to-day at 48c, worth fully 75c.

Other Corsets at 48c, 65c, 75c, to $1 50 a pair. All the best makes on hand.

HOSIERY.

One lot Children's Ribbed Hose, worth 15c, on sale at 10c.

Wraps and Jackets.

We have a very good stock of Wraps and Jackets and are going to sell them out this week at very low prices

$10 Capes go at $6.93.

$7.50 Capes go at $5 90.

$5 Capes go at $3 90.

$3.50 Capes go at $2 90. Tans, Navy Blue, Black, and at ne colors

Jackets on sale at from $3 to $9 50 each.

Shoe Department.

Ladies' Shoes at 98c, $1 25, $1 48 $1.98 and $2 48, all worth from 50c to $1.50 more

Lot of Men's and Boys' Shoes must be closed out at cost, or less than cost, as we want to close them out.

CARPETS.

This department of our store is one of our newest but the sales in it are already putting it to where it is one of our best departments. We do not show the largest stock, but what we show are all new styles and colorings; and then the prices they are very reasonable.

Ingrain at 29, 33, 35, 44, 59, 65 to 75c.

Brussels at 69, 75, 85, 89c to $1 00 a yard.

CHAS. T. JOHNSTON,

151 North Water Street.

FREE! FREE! FREE!

EACH PURCHASER OF

A SUIT

—OR—

OVERCOAT

Within the Next Thirty Days will be presentd with

A TICKET

To the Chicago

World's Fair

FREE OF COST.

CHEAP CHARLEY.

TOILET SET SALE

ON Monday, April 17, we will open our Annual APRIL SALE OF TOILET WARES, when we will display on our FIRST FLOOR the Handsomest Line of TOILET SETS ever shown in Decatur, at prices that make our SPECIAL SALES a success in every respect.

OTTO E. CURTIS & BRO.,

Jewelers and Dealers in Fine China.

THE WORLD'S FAIR

Is Now Open.

Also a FINE LINE OF MILLINERY FOR THE MAY TRADE. Now is the time to buy your Hats. Do not fail to see our line of Trimmed Hats; they are sure to suit you. Do you want a Fine Hat at HALF THE PRICE you pay elsewhere? Come to us.

PITTENGER'S MILLINERY.

135 East Main Street.

CLEARANCE ✻ SALE

Of Fine Stationery.

We have a line of our best grades of Linen Stationery that we are clearing out at HALF PRICE. Now is the time to secure Bargains.

J. Edward Saxton

POST OFFICE BOOK STORE.

Special + Sale!

THIS WEEK,

OF MODERN FOOTWEAR, IN ALL THE SPECIALTIES.

Ladies' Shoes and Oxfords,

Men's Shoes and Oxfords,

As well as Misses' and Children's Fine Shoes and Oxfords, at Popular Prices.

WALTER HUTCHIN

DAILY REPUBLICAN.

—USE—

Heath & Milligan's

PAINT.

The best Mixed Paint on the market. Call for Color Card.

—SOLD ONLY BY—

KING & WOOD,

Druggists.

FRIDAY EVE., MAY 5, 1893.

ITEMS OF INTEREST.

Toilet Sets.

When you wish to buy a Toilet Set you will find the *only* complete assortment in the city at our store. No old "*chestnuts*," but all *new* and desirable styles. Prices from $2.50 up.

E. D. BARTHOLOMEW.

DEAN & SON, tailors.

SEE Abrams' photos.

SMOKE Huffman's Cabaret.

SEE Abrams' photos.

FINE perfumes at Irwin's.

COCA-COLA at Irwin's fountain.

Put the benches in the park.

TEETH, $8—Hoskins & Moore, dentists

FIRST-CLASS trade will be benefited by going to Abrams for photos. may1-d6

FINE toilet soaps at C. H. Dawson's formerly Swearingen & Tyler.

TOOTH BRUSHES at Irwin's drug store.

COUNTRY merchants report business very dull at present.

SMOKE the Bouquet and Little Rose cigars. They will suit you.

SMOKE the Joe Michl Little Rose and Bouquet cigars. They are the favorites.

THE Grand Opera House cigars, made by Keck & Weigand, are the best in town. mar25dtf

WALL PAPER and window shades at Conklin & Housum's, in Library Block.

BOTTLE WATERS, Buffalo and Londonderry Bethesda Vichy, etc., at Dawson's fountain.

DON'T buy a Baby Carriage until you have seen the elegant line at Bachman Bros. & Martin's. a5-d&wtf

PRESCRIPTIONS prepared by practical pharmacists at Irwin's.

JUST RECEIVED—a car load of Baldwin apples $3 per bbl.
4-d1w RIGGIN, SHIREY & Co.

EVERYBODY knows Abrams' photos are the best. Look out that you do not do worse elsewhere. may1-d6

FRESH country butter and eggs at lowest prices at C. N. May's grocery store, Syndicate Block.

YOU can get an upper and lower set of teeth for 15 dollars at Smith's dental parlors, over postoffice. may1-d2w

REMEMBER that Bachman Bros. & Martin Co. still lead in Baby Carriages. See their new line of latest designs. a5-d&wtf

Boom Decatur
by using
White Loaf Flour.

JOHN WATWOOD was arrested last night by Officers Leech and Mutherspaugh on the charge of drunkenness. He forfeited his bond.

FOR carriages, buggies, surreys, road wagons, carts and lawn mowers, call on Geo. S. Durfee & Bro., 158 South Water street, Opera House Block. apr24-d1mo

CALL and see BACHMAN'S BABY Carriages, the best line in the city, at prices lower than ever. a5-d&wtf

OYSTERS in cans and bulk to-day. All kinds of dressed poultry and fresh fish. Pearl Oyster & Fish Co., 243 North Main street. Telephone 344. dtf

ROOMS for rent in Gallagher Block, third floor, single or in suite. Prices, $5, $8 and $10 per month. Apply to Aaron Smick, agent, 146 East Main street. may3-dtf

THE absence of the summer benches in Central Park is causing some anxiety to the people who love to sit upon them and commune with nature. Why not bring out the benches?

Keep Your Money Home
by using
White Loaf Flour.

J. P. NICHOLSON is making an unusual drive on buggies and implements. He has the finest selected stock ever brought to the city, and his large trade bears testimony to his good selection. apr5-dtf

THE Memorial Day committee on general arrangements are requested to meet with Chairman Blythe at the office of John A. Reeve & Co. next Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

R. A. LINDSAY, late of No. 3 Engine Company, Baltimore City Fire Department, says that the members of his company have used Salvation Oil in cases of sprains and soreness with most gratifying results. It is the best. Only 25 cts.

"A WOLF in sheep's clothing"—the substitute offered by the "cutter" as being just as good as Ayer's Sarsaparilla. If you don't want to be bitten, insist upon having Ayer's Sarsaparilla, even if it is a little dearer. Depend upon it, it will be cheaper for you in the end.

BLUE GRASS Carriage Shop, one block east of Shellabarger's mill, Cerro Gordo street, has a fine line of Surreys, Buggies, Road and Spring Wagons. Do a general line of repairing, repainting, overhauling, &c. Come and see this line of new work and get rock bottom prices. april7-d&wtf

Out on a Strike.

About 113 coal miners employed in shaft No. 2 of the Parr Coal company went out on a strike last Monday. The cause of the trouble was brought about on this wise: The company recently accepted a contract with the Illinois Central R. R. Co., by which that corporation was to accept the entire out-put of the north shaft, providing the coal company would sell it to them at a certain price, and to do this the company was compelled to pay the miners 42 cents per gross ton, instead of 45 cents per gross ton, the price they had been paying for mining, but guaranteed them steady work. This price the miners refused to accept, hence the strike. The miners in shaft No. 1 have been waited on by a committee of the strikers, and the men in this shaft are expected to go out also.

Baby Carriages.

If you buy your baby carriages before ... [illegible]

THE STATE FAIR VOTE.

Its Peculiarities—Aurora a Massing Point—The Fight Not Yet Ended—An Insane Hospital.

As stated in a special to the REPUBLICAN, yesterday, Peoria succeeded in securing a majority in the house of representatives in favor of it as a permanent location for the state fair. The votes stood as follows:

First ballot, Peoria, 41; Aurora, 31 Decatur, 28; Springfield, 24; Bloomington, 15; Chicago, 7; Litchfield, 3.

Second ballot, Peoria, 52; Decatur, 41; Aurora, 26; Springfield, 15; Bloomington, 8; Litchfield, 4.

Third ballot, Peoria, 84; Decatur, 54; Springfield, 4.

The final result on the third and last ballot was reached after the roll had been called through by members rising and changing their votes from the places for which they had voted to other places. Thus, when the roll call was completed, Peoria had 55 votes and Decatur had 54 votes. The other votes were scattered between Bloomington, which had 13, Litchfield 3, and Aurora 16. The first changes were in favor of Decatur and threw it ahead of Peoria, when the Aurora people began to change, as had evidently been prearranged, from there to Peoria which gave Peoria the start of Decatur. This dragged in a lot of other people, who have a constitutional weakness for getting into the band wagon, to Peoria. In this way Decatur lost at least 12 votes that legitimately preferred and had voted for Decatur. The result of this was that Decatur lost all she had gained from the changes of votes after the roll call.

From these figures we can fairly estimate the legitimate strength of Decatur at 54 plus 12 votes, which would equal 66 votes, and would reduce Peoria's final vote by 12, which would leave it 72 votes. Peoria got at least 30 votes through influences that Decatur refused to resort to, which accounts for the fact that she got more than 20 votes out of Cook county to Decatur's 6, and in addition to this that alone accounts for the fact that some of the votes of country members who should have, and under ordinary circumstances would have, voted for Decatur, went to Peoria.

In view of these facts there is no reason why Decatur should be ashamed of the fight it made. It was a clean fight on Decatur's part, which was recognized by everybody, and many were the expressions of surprise on every hand at Decatur's strength and the magnificent work done by its delegation. There were many who openly declared that no delegation that had ever appeared before a legislature had done so systematic and effective work as the Decatur delegation. And it also follows that Decatur should follow up the fight in the Senate. She is entirely justifiable in doing so under the circumstances. Six years ago the proposition to permanently locate the state fair was before the house and Springfield carried it two to one. The fight was transferred to the Senate, and the bill was there defeated, and afterwards the fair was located in Peoria for four years. It is just as probable now that the Senate will not concur with the house, in fixing the location at Peoria, as it was then. Peoria is trying to get the word out that no fight will, or ought to be made in the Senate against the decision of the house. They argue that it it would be very unjust to do so; but on making this plea they would have the people forget that Senator Bell, of Peoria, was largely instrumental in knocking out Springfield in the senate six years ago. Every motion known to parliamentary law was resorted to to defeat Springfield, and Senator Bell voted in every case for these motions. The same sense of fairness did not strike Peoria then, as forcibly as it seems to strike strike it now. And it might be remarked that the vote in the house does not settle the permanent location of the state fair by a "long jump."

There is another factor which, will enter into this fight before it ends. The day before the state fair bill came up the house passed a bill appropriating a large sum of money to locate a state insane hospital "west of the Illinois River." On top of this concession, on the part of Central Illinois, east of the Illinois River, the entire Western Illinois vote was cast for Peoria, and against Central Illinois for the location of the state fair. Fairness would demand that there should be a fair division of these state benefits. This may be insisted upon before the insane asylum bill gets to the governor and before the senate concurs in the house bill to locate the state fair at Peoria.

The REPUBLICAN has no hesitancy in saying that the Decatur delegation to Springfield, in the interest of the permanent location of the state fair, did noble work for Decatur, for which they are entitled to the thanks of our citizens. The way they presented the advantages of Decatur, and the votes they got for it as a state fair site and a business city, brings Decatur into more prominence than it ever enjoyed before. Their work was done entirely without the use of improper influences, and the result was that every man who voted for Decatur, at any time, voted for it because, everything considered, it was the logical place for the location of the state fair.

STATE FAIR ECHOES.

Bloomington *Pantagraph*: When the name of Burke, of Cook, was reached he too voted for Peoria and people who have been watching the course of events for the past understood very well what that meant and were ready to wager their cash on a victory for the Still city. It meant that the Chicago crowd were friendly to Peoria and that enough of them would show up in the decisive ballot to give that city the fair. * * * Before the result of the ballot was announced, McInerney of Cook arose and requested that his vote be changed from Aurora to Peoria. This was the prearranged signal on the part of the managers for Peoria for a general break, and it came. The changes to Peoria were rapid, and were only checked for a moment when Morsats of Macoupin changed from Springfield to Decatur. For a little while the tide set toward Decatur, but Peoria was getting close to the danger line, and when the necessary 77 votes had been secured the Peorians went wild. After that it was a procession to Peoria, Stubblefield and O'Connell of McLean, seeing that the day was lost, courteously changed their votes to the winning city. * * * * * * *

It may be said, however, that this does not locate the fair by a long shot. The bill has to go through the Senate, and there is good reason to believe that a good-sized scrap will be found there. ... [illegible]

correspondent is satisfied that opposition of a kind not expected will be encountered when the bill comes up for action in that body.

Illinois State Journal: Statesmen like Burke, Carmody and Conway of Cook county were impressed with the belief that Peoria was the best point for the location of the state fair, and that settled it, so far as the house was concerned. * * * Peoria is victorious in the fight for the location of the state fair, so far as the house is concerned, but the question is not yet settled.

LIFE ON WALL STREET.

Failure of the Big Firm of S. V. White & Co.

[SPECIAL TO THE REPUBLICAN.]

CHICAGO, May 5.—The failure of S. V. White & Co. was announced on Wall Street, New York, to-day.

The preferred National Cordage trust stock declined to-day to 45.

PERSONAL MENTION.

D. L. Bunn is home from Chicago.

Clyde Boyer left to-day for St. Louis.

J. H. Culver was in Springfield yesterday.

H. D. Colby went to Macon to-day on business.

W. R. Dingman, of Niantic, is in the city to-day.

H. J. Hiner is reported considerably improved to-day.

Henry Smith has returned from Carrollton.

Mrs. Rebecca Hamsher has returned from Chicago.

Dr. Bain Walston went to Dalton City to-day on business.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Conklin have returned from Chicago.

Miss Etta Bixler of Forsyth is in the city visiting friends.

Mrs. Bowers of Fulton, Kansas, is the guest of Mrs. Cass Chenoweth.

Lester W. Wymond of Bloomington visited in the city last evening.

Dr. W. M. Catto visited Harristown to-day on professional business.

Miss Voorhies, who has been in Florida all winter, has returned home.

Mrs. J. F. Curry, who has been seriously ill for some days, is no better.

E. L. Ives, the Bloomington bridge contractor, had business in Decatur today.

Miss Belle Catto and Bruce Catto are expected to return home to-day from Florida.

Mrs. T. P. Yerkes of Upper Alton arrived in the city to-day to visit Mrs. Dr. Spalding.

R. A. Newell left yesterday for Dallas, Texas, where he will make his home with his daughter.

Mrs. Mary Gladwell left this afternoon for Hannibal, Mo., to visit with her granddaughter.

D. D. Shumway of Taylorville and V. Snyder, jr., of Moweaqua were at the St. Nicholas to-day.

Rev. E. B. Oake and family departed to-day for Maysville, Ky., where they will reside in the future.

J. M. Hull, representing a large paint house in Chicago, was a guest at the Central House to-day.

J. C. Stevens, brother of ex-Justice Stevens, who has been ill with the grip two weeks, is convalescent.

Miss Maggie Palmer, who has been very ill at her home on West Wood street, is somewhat improved.

Mrs. C. E. Torrey left to-day for Belvidere in response to a telegram announcing the death of an aunt.

Mrs. S. P. Young and Mrs. J. M. Maris went to Blue Mound to-day where they will attend a reception this evening.

Dr. J. F. Reid has returned from London, Ontario, where he was called by the illness of his brother, who is now much better.

Mrs. N. E. Adams departed to-day at noon for Chicago, where she will visit her daughter, Mrs. M. M. Strader for two weeks or longer.

Mrs. William Ellis, of Jacksonville, who has been in the city visiting Mrs. E J. Strader, left to-day for a visit with relatives in Danville.

Mrs. John Stickle and daughter, Mrs. Josephine Crawford, have returned from California. They came back by way of Chicago, and visited the World's Exposition.

A. M. Legg, traveling auditor of the Wabash, and S. N. Jeffrey, who succeeds Lape as master mechanic of the same system, were registered at the Central House to-day.

Mrs. A. S. Crowder, of Spokane, Wash., who has been in the city visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Shellabarger, left to-day for Bethany to visit Mr. Crowder's relatives.

Philip Mueller left to-day for Macon, Ill., to superintend the construction of the large water works system, the contract for which was recently awarded to the H. Mueller Plumbing & Heating Co.

Mrs. M. C. Pinkley, of Wichita, Kas., who has been visiting Mrs. Arthur Phelps and Mrs. W. H. Addis, went to Pontiac yesterday. From there she goes to the World's Fair and will then return to Wichita.

Jerry Donahue, editor of the Daily *Review*, has gone south for the benefit of his health, which has not been good of late. He will be absent several weeks and hopes the climatic change will restore his appetite and strength.

Railway Notes.

The Illinois Central management is having built at the St. Charles Car Works twelve chair cars of the latest design, and fitted with all the modern improvements, including Knapp's sash lift and lock. These cars are intended to run between Chicago and the World's Fair grounds.

President Ashley and the Wabash directors from New York arrived at St. Louis last night by special train over the Wabash from Chicago, accompanied by Vice-President Howe, General Manager Hays and General Solicitor Blodgett. They made a thorough inspection of the Wabash new Chicago-Detroit line between Montpelier and Clark Junction, which is now open for traffic, and while in Chicago took a glance at the World's Fair.

The Committees.

The members of the various committees to make arrangements for the county Sunday school field day will take notice that the adjourned meeting will be held this evening at 7:30 in the Y. M. C. A. rooms. All the city superintendents and pastors are requested to be present. It is expected that the program for the field day will be completed, and that the invitation committee will also report. The place of holding the field day sports will be discussed. A full attendance is desired.

THE Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor of the First M. E. church will open a Sunday school in the "West Main Chapel," formerly Janes' Chapel, next Sunday morning, May 7, at nine o'clock. The chapel has been annexed to the First Methodist church, and hereafter will be used for mission work. A capable, active body of young people will be there Sunday morning to enroll all who may want to come to the Sunday school. ... [illegible]

COUNTY BOARD COMMITTEES.

Chairman Draper Places the Supervisors in Working Groups.

While in Decatur to-day Chairman O. H. Draper, of Macon, named the following standing committees for the Macon County Board of Supervisors. The board stands 22 to 4 Republican. One Democrat got a chairmanship—Cussins, of Niantic, and Brintlinger, Democrat, was put on the Judiciary committee:

COMMITTEES.

Judiciary—Chairman, Garver of Whitmore; Ammann, Brintlinger, Burley and French.

Finance—Chairman, May of Decatur; Parker, Cope, Dickson and Connard.

Equalization of Taxes—Chairman, Bean of Pleasant View; Starr, Nowlin, Nicholson, Parker, Cussins and Davis.

Miscellaneous Claims—Chairman, Parker of Maroa; Starr, Dickson, Hallack and Connelly.

Paupers and Poor Farm—Chairman, Cope of Decatur; Cussins, Quinn, Bean and French.

Roads and Bridges—Chairman, Cussins of Niantic; Nicholson, Burley, Davidson and Thrift.

Public Buildings—Chairman, Starr of Decatur; Nowlin, Lowery and Thrift.

Fees and Salaries—Chairman, Sleeter of Blue Mound; May, Davis, Quinn and Connard.

Mines and Mining—Chairman, Nowlin of Austin; Sleeter, Hallack, Davis and Lowery.

Purchasing—Chairman, Quinn of Decatur; Griffin, Cope, Dickson and Connelly.

Printing—Chairman, Burley of Oakley; Davidson, Griffin, Ammann and Brintlinger.

No Business Excursions.

Some weeks ago a proposition was made to arrange for a series of excursions into Decatur at cheap rates on certain days to help boom business. The proposition was received with general approval by the local merchants who were willing to lend substantial encouragement to the promoters of the plan, Shaw & Cleveland, of Bloomington. To-day a letter came to a leading Decatur merchant, stating that the excursions could not be given, as the railway passenger agents at a meeting had sat down on the scheme, which of course is wholly in the interest of the business men of the larger cities, like Decatur, Springfield, Bloomington, Danville and Champaign. The railway passenger agents say they cannot give any rates that will work to the injury of the merchants of the smaller towns on the line of the different railways. This is tough on the bright hopes of the Decatur merchants, but possibly there are other ways to get the country people to come to the stores on fete days and holiday occasions.

A Serious Charge.

In another column appears a significant card signed by Rev. G. E. Moore which has reference to Rev. L. M. Moore, present pastor of the Antioch Baptist church. Curious to learn why the author of the card had a grievance, the reporter was informed that the accuser was not yet ready to make an attack in court, but that unless something was done in the way of getting Moore out of town there would be trouble for him. It is plain from Rev. G. L. Moore's talk that he knows more than he is willing to tell. The church officers are said to know all of the circumstances of the pastor's alleged unchristian conduct, and it is said they have asked him to resign but he will not. Possibly a settlement of the troublesome matter will soon be reached.

County Affairs.

Chairman Draper, of Macon, was at the court house to-day in conference with Clerk Hardy and W. H. Starr, of the public buildings committee.

The members of the public buildings committee will meet next Monday to pass upon the purchase of proper blinds or curtains for the new court house. There are several bids submitted. Possibly the Venetian slat blinds will be adopted. To supply every window in the building it will cost about $900. To order only those actually needed will cost $500. If curtains are purchased the expense will be in the neighborhood of $1400.

Better farming utensils are needed at the county poor farm.

Another Convention.

The twelfth annual district missionary convention of the Christian church will be held in Decatur. This was decided at the convention held this week at Bement, which was attended by Rev. Simon Rohrer, Mr. and Mrs. M. Eichinger, Rev. J. H. Gilliland, Rev. J. W. Strawn, Rev. T. F. Marer, Rev. Knox P. Taylor, Miss Ada Pritchett, Miss Nellie Stumpf and others. The officers elected for the year were: President, Rev. C. B. Dabney, Mt. Pulaski; vice-president, Rev. T. B. Stanley, Atlanta, and secretary and treasurer, Rev. L. B. Pickerall, Clinton.

A Yacht in the Window.

The yacht "Mayflower," which outsailed the "Puritan," may be seen in the show window at Bradley Bros. store. It is a beauty and attracts general admiration. The hull is made of fine linen handkerchiefs, and the cabin and railings are brought out in proper style. The sails are of purple and yellow silk, and at the top of the mast is placed the American flag, than which there is none more beautiful in the world. Sea gulls and doves are suspended from the ceiling by means of invisible wires. Stop and look at the yacht.

Trouble Ahead.

MR. EDITOR: Please allow me to say in your paper that on Sunday morning, April 30, Rev. L. M. Moore, pastor of the Antioch Baptist church, was met by some of the officers of that church, (Tom Miller, Henry Rase and Gilbert Vernon) to counsel with him for his unchristian conduct, for which I think he will be brought before the court to answer.

G. M. MOORE.

Still Greater Reductions

a the price of the *Haviland sample* sale now going on at our store. Come, and see them. E. D. BARTHOLOMEW.

Features of Ali Baba.

This greatest of all spectacular shows will be at the Grand next Tuesday night, and the advance sale of seats at the prices quoted in the regular advertisement in another column will begin Saturday morning. The manifold beauties of Ali Baba are well known to all who have seen it in Chicago and St. Louis. Decatur people will have an opportunity without paying steam car fare to witness the bewildering beauties of the jeweled cavern, the atrocious movements of the two score Bagdad robbers, the sparkling realism of the mountain water-fall tumbling down from high, craggy cliffs, and scattering its moon-lit spray as a background to the shining armour and accouterments of the band of forty thieves. Few can forget the palm-environed terrace outside of Ali Baba's palace, with its prismatic fountain playing in the moonlight. The quaint old oriental mill, the heights of Bagdad and the culminating tableau and the birth of the butterfly, are all impressively beautiful and not easily forgotten.

Ladies Take Notice.

During the week commencing May 1, we will offer twenty-five Toilet Sets of the *highest grades*, at the most tempting figures. We have them in pink and gold, white and gold, yellow and gold, blue and gold, in Daulton's, Maddock, and are *English* and *French* potteries. Every one acknowledges the line to be the finest ever shown in Decatur. We propose to make the *price sell them*, although other dealers have said we could not sell such fine goods in this market. Call and see them and we will show you how near we can sell you the *finest goods in the market* at the price of much less elegant goods.

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Sales of Real Estate.

Julia A. Williams to Maria Hubbard, lots 10 and 13 in block 1 and lot 13 in block 2 of Julia A. Williams' second addition—$1,800.

Jacob Barth to Anna P. Barth, lot 12 in block 3 of Montgomery & Shult's second addition—$1,400.

Enoch Banister to Thomas Whitney, two acres in section 29, 16, 3 east—$400.

Mary Stahl to L. W. Wheeler, a tract in Oakley township—$2,200.

M. J. Sheehy to Margaret Sheehy, lot 11 and part of lot 10 in block 6 of East Park Boulevards—$5.

MISS NELLIE CALHOUN, stenographer and typewriter, graduate of the Decatur Business College, can be found at her desk in the St. Nicholas Hotel office, ready to do short hand and Remington typewriting work on short notice at reasonable figures. Will call at business houses and offices to take dictation, if desired. tf

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